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CLAIM MAJORITY IN FAVOR OF IRISH TREATY

BELGIUM TO ASK FIRST CHANCE AT GERMANY'S GOLD

Delegation Insists on Nation's Right to Priority on Reparations Payments

BOTH FRANCE AND BELGIUM OPPOSE MORATORIUM PLAN

Council Elated Over Progress Made at Opening Session of Conference

CANNES, France—By The Associated Press.—The allied supreme council began consideration of the question of German war reparations Saturday in atmosphere somewhat cleared by Friday's decision to get together with Russia and Germany in an international financial and economic conference. The air of pessimism noticeable immediately preceding the opening of the council was largely dissipated by the successful results of the first day's session.

Belgian delegation has announced that it will insist on Belgium's priority to 2,500,000,000 gold marks of the German reparations. This is regarded as an important obstacle to the British plan which the French are disposed to accept in part.

Both the Belgians and the French are opposed to a moratorium for Germany, but the French are inclined to agree to a reduction in cash payments provided the difference is made up by deliveries of reparations in kind. The British stick to their proposal to reduce the total payment due this year from 2,000,000,000 gold marks to 500,000,000 marks on condition that materials be delivered to the value of two billion gold marks. At this rate it will take five years to pay off the priority claimed by the Belgians and France will have to wait that long before receiving any cash at all.

WAR DECLARED ON BOOTLEGGERS BY MILWAUKEE WOMEN

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Aroused by the remarkable confession of Mrs. Elsie Treple to Captain Harry McCrory, chief of detectives, that she killed the husband she loved while she was crazed with "white mule" moonshine whiskey, the police department, district attorney's office and the organized church women of Milwaukee Friday declared war upon the bootleggers of the city, which the church women declare will not be subject to armistice until the city is freed from poison whisky venders.

Investigators reporting to Mrs. C. M. Barr, president of the Federation of Church Women, allege that more than 1,200 saloons in Milwaukee are selling moonshine openly.

JUDGE WICKHAM TO HEAR CASES HERE ON NEXT TUESDAY

Judge James Wickham of Eau Claire will sit on the circuit court bench here next Tuesday to hear several court cases, in which affidavits of prejudice have been filed. Among the cases to be heard is the divorce suit of Mrs. Anna Kleinertz against Frank Kleinertz. The jury was excused by Judge Higbee for the rest of the January term of circuit court.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Generally fair with rising temperature tonight and Sunday.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Rising temperature.

For Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Rising temperature tonight.

For Iowa—Fair tonight and Sunday. Warmer tonight and 18 east portion Sunday.

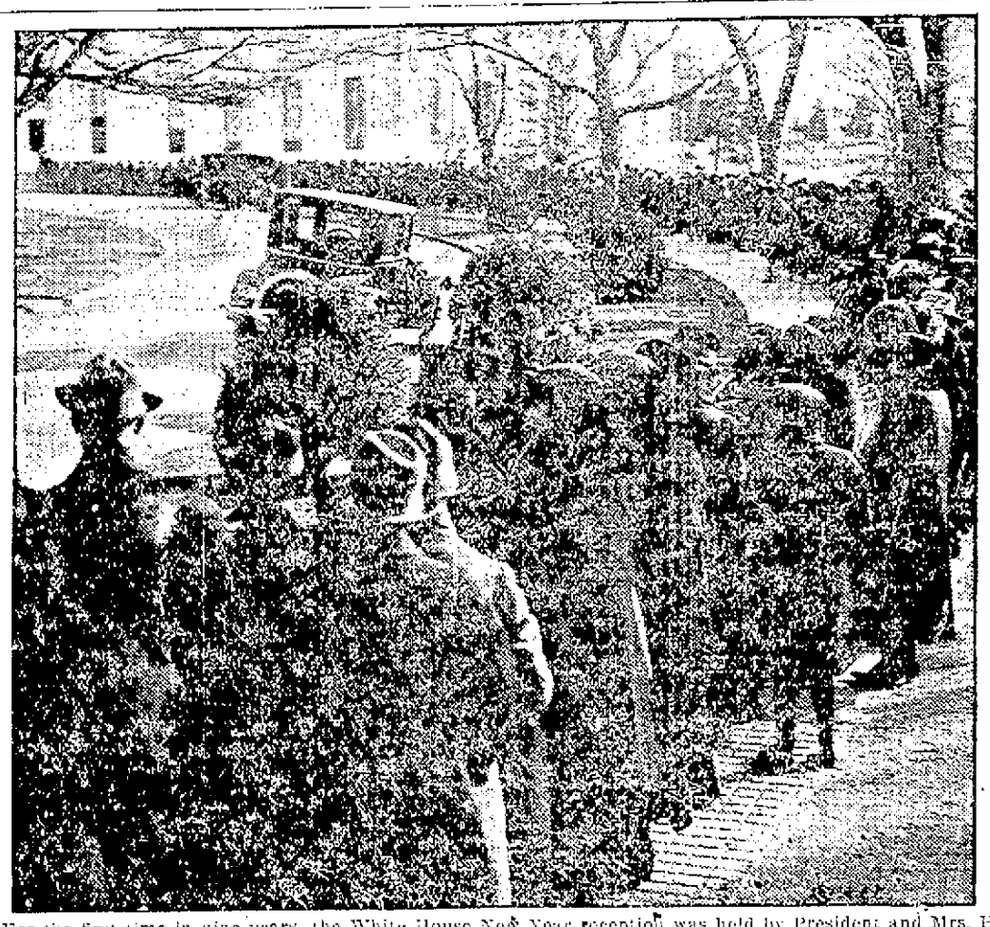
TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	7	10 a. m.	14
7 a. m.	6	11 a. m.	19
8 a. m.	0	12 m.	20
9 a. m.	8	1 p. m.	25

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Low Yesterday's night	High	Prec.
Bismarck	0	16	..
Chicago	20	21	..
Denver	12	34	..
Helena	24	30	.01
Huron	6	18	..
Jacksonville	56	78	..
Kansas City	50	78	..
LA CROSSE	8	8	..
Madison	8	12	..
Memphis	52	62	..
Medicine Hat	14	38	..
Milwaukee	12	16	..
Miles City	1	22	..
New York	26	42	..
New Orleans	48	58	0.18
San Diego	48	62	.40
San Francisco	42	52	.32
Minneapolis	6	10	..
Washington	28	42	..

THE "ENDLESS" LINE



For the first time in nine years, the White House New Year reception was held by President and Mrs. Harding, January 2. Members of the cabinet, government and military officials were received first. Then, for more than two hours the public moved through the mansion in a line three blocks long as you see above.

PRESIDENT INVITES G. O. P. LEADERS TO WHITE HOUSE DINNER

Five Senators and Seven Representatives Called into Conference

PENDING LEGISLATION TO BE DISCUSSED AT THE GATHERING

Invited Guests Members of Important Committees

WASHINGTON.—President Harding has invited a number of republican leaders in congress and several others prominent in the conduct of administration affairs to a dinner Saturday night at the white house at which it is understood the legislative situation and governmental affairs generally will be discussed.

Those invited included five members of the senate, seven of the house, Secretary Weeks, Attorney General Daugherty and John T. Adams, chairman of the republican national committee.

The members of the senate invited were understood to be Senators Lodge, Massachusetts; Watson, Indiana; Curtis, Kansas; McCumber, North Dakota, and Brandegee, Connecticut. The house members are speaker Gillett, Majority Leader Mondell, representatives Anderson, Minnesota; Darrow, Pennsylvania; Sanders, Indiana; Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee, and Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee.

Although no formal announcement was made at the white house concerning the dinner conference, it was learned this arrangement developed from a conference held with the senators invited earlier this week by President Harding. The tariff, proposed modifications of it to allow flexible duties as suggested by President Harding and the soldier bonus would be topics for consideration, it was said, along with the policy of the administration in respect to internal affairs.

Virtually all of the members of congress invite dorcupy places of importance in committee organization of the senate and house. Representative Anderson is chairman of the joint committee of the house and senate which has been engaged for the last six months in investigating the agricultural situation.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH WILL SING 'BETHLEHEM' SUNDAY

"The Story of Bethlehem" by West, will be sung for the first time at the German Lutheran church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services are to be made a sort of Christmas music festival by the pastor, the Rev. J. T. Gamm. There are about 35 voices in the choir.

AMERICAN-CANADIAN COMMITTEE APPROVES LAWRENCE WATERWAY

Report Transmitted to U. S. State Department and the Canadian Government

ALSO RECOMMEND BEGINNING OF PROJECT WITHIN NEAR FUTURE

Cost is Estimated at Approximately Quarter Billion

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Approval is given the proposed Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway by the international joint committee in a report which had been transmitted to the American state department and the Canadian government.

The report will be transmitted within a few days by the state department to congress and it was said, that inasmuch as consideration of the project was undertaken by the commission at the direction of congress the report will not be made public until submitted to congress.

The committee, it was declared, however, has unanimously approved the project which contemplates the construction of a deep waterway from the Great Lakes to the ocean through the St. Lawrence of sufficient depth to enable sea-going vessels to enter the Great Lakes.

The commission also was understood to recommend beginning of construction in the near future or as soon as possible.

The report of the committee includes a lengthy statement by engineers who made a study of the project for the commission and who are understood to estimate the cost at approximately $252,725,000.

Deepening of the St. Lawrence river above Montreal to permit ocean-going vessels to enter the Great Lakes via the Welland canal as recommended by the United States and Canadian engineers contemplates a series of nine locks, thirty-three miles of canals, forty and one-half miles of lake channel and 160 miles of river channel improvements.

Their estimates contemplated a channel depth of twenty-five feet with provision in the permanent improvements for increasing the depth to thirty feet, an additional cost of $17,986,180. The locks would be 821 feet long and 80 feet wide.

Development of a hydro-electric plant to be built on a great dam at Long Sault Rapids, near Ogdensburg, N. Y., and to produce 1,610,000 horsepower also was recommended. The engineers estimated the work recommended on the St. Lawrence could be completed if necessary within eight years.

The new Welland canal under construction by the Canadian government, one of the links in the proposed waterway and nearing completion is designed to accommodate vessels 800 feet long with a draft of 25 feet.

NEW GOVERNMENT FOR RUSSIA SEEN BY COUNT TOLSTOY

Overthrow of Bolshevik Government Will See New Order of Things Says Speaker

INTERESTING TALK GIVEN AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL

Eighty Percent of Russian Factories Shut Down

Count Ilya Tolstoy, appearing under the auspices of the Twentieth Century club, delivered an interesting lecture on present day conditions in Russia at the normal school Friday evening. In his speech he also sketched the conditions which prevailed in Russia in the past, and gave his idea of the future of the Russian state.

Count Tolstoy began by contrasting the life in Russia today with that in this country. He said that eight years ago life in his native land was as easy as it is now in America, but that during the past eight years war and bolshevik rule have ruined Russian home and family life.

In order to give the audience a clearer understanding of the development of the people of Russia, he gave a short history of the advance of civilization in that country. He claimed for it the oldest civilization of Europe. In the very early times civilization moved from east to west, and Russia was right in the path of the eastern people. The country was not discovered by the rest of Europe until the sixteenth century, and now Russia is a mixture of three civilizations—Eastern, Near-eastern and European.

Struggle of Peasantry

He traced the struggle of the peasantry for freedom from the first revolt in 1825 through the various revolts in 1861, 1905 and 1917, and stated that now after four years of trial, they found that bolshevism is even more autocratic in its rule than was the old system of autocracy.

Russian scientists, musicians and artists are among the greatest that have been known to the world. They all belong to the class known as the intelligentia, or educated class. He said that in Russia there is no aristocracy of blood, nor of money. The only form of aristocracy that is known is that of brains and education. At the same time the Russian peasants are the poorest educated of Europe, being, before the war, more than seventy per cent illiterate.

Tells of War Losses

Russian industries were poorly developed, the country being composed mainly of the farming class, and as a consequence Russia was not able to keep up the competition in the war with the great industrial powers. The speaker was with the Russian army in the Carpathians in the early part of the war and saw first hand the conditions which compelled the troops to battle without sufficient guns or

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SEE WIND-UP OF DEBATE ON TREATY TODAY

Arthur Griffith to Ask Approval of Treaty in Summing up Today; Burgess Appears for Opposition

DAIL TO BE ASKED TO REAFFIRM SOVEREIGNTY OF IRISH PEOPLE

McGrath Describes Trip of Boland to U. S. at Direction of De Valera

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—The party whips of the section of the dail headed by Arthur Griffith, in favor of the ratification of the Anglo-Irish treaty, estimated at 5:20 o'clock Saturday afternoon that out of 122 votes the supporters of the treaty would secure 63 or a majority of four.

The Dail Eireann adjourned Saturday afternoon until 7:30 o'clock. It is expected the vote on the treaty will be taken at 9 p. m.

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press. —The dail eireann appeared to be within a few hours of a vote on the Anglo-Irish treaty when it concluded its morning session Saturday. Debate was to proceed during the afternoon, lasting probably until six or seven o'clock, before a vote could be reached. The second session was expected to bring forth an important speech against the treaty by Charles Burgess, the minister of defense, while Arthur Griffith was to close debate with a general summing up and an appeal for approval of the pact.

At the beginning of the session, Speaker John MacNeill read a motion, proposed by himself, calling on the dail to affirm that Ireland is a sovereign state, deriving its authority from the will of the people. The motion would provide that all of Ireland's international relations must be governed by this status. It is expected the motion will be put through if the treaty is ratified.

Tells of Trip to U. S.

Speeches by Harry Boland and Joseph McGrath were features of the morning session, especially that of McGrath, who disclosed that Boland's last trip to the United States, according to Boland himself, was made at the initiative of Eamon De Valera to acquaint American sympathizers with the fact that it would be necessary in negotiating peace to accept something short of a republic.

Joseph McGuiness of Longford, speaking for the treaty, said the members of the peace committee, in the private meeting of the dail "literally went on their knees to President De Valera in an effort to secure unity."

Mr. De Valera interposed a heated denial that it was he who had split the country, declaring the document brought back by the delegates from London was responsible for the split.

The morning session adjourned at 10:30 a. m. to reassemble at 4 p. m.

Regret De Valera Action

DUBLIN. — By The Associated Press.—Acute suspense and anxiety over the chances for peace prevailed in Ireland as the result of Eamon De Valera's unexpected action Friday in resigning as president of the Irish republic.

Few among the Irish people are willing to doubt the sincerity of his action, but the general regret for him does not prevent many expressions of regret at his course. In the view of supporters of the peace treaty his action has seriously imperilled the chances for peace.

Vote Today

The dail met again Saturday, and it is the opinion of several members that a vote on the treaty will be taken before 7 o'clock. Alarm is expressed in some quarters lest the wavereres in the dail will now be drawn to De Valera's side and the treaty defeated. Acceptance of the treaty is considered paramount despite the general respect for De Valera as shown by the comment in the morning newspapers which appealed to the people over the president's head, says the Freeman's Journal.

Harry Boland, just back from the United States, asked for a vote of thanks for "the magnificent support America has given us."

No one knew better than Michael Collins, declared Boland, that there were five thousand men in America eager to fight for Ireland and that many such men had come back to Ireland and fought valiantly.

Says U. S. Favors Treaty

Boland said he would have to admit that sentiment in America favored the treaty but many subscribers to the Irish loan would regard adoption

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BALFOUR AND HUGHES AWAIT JAP-CHINESE INVITATION TO MEDIATE SHANTUNG DISPUTE

Conversations Interrupted by Disagreement over Terms of Payment for Chinese Railway; Chinese Delegates to Confer With Balfour

WASHINGTON.—(By the Associated Press.)—A. J. Balfour and Secretary Hughes, it was said Saturday by a British spokesman probably will await a joint request from the Japanese and Chinese delegates to the arms conference, to mediate the Shantung dispute before stepping into the breach caused Friday when the conversations between the two groups came to an end after failing to agree on terms of payment for the Kiao Chow-Tsinanfu railway.

Messrs. Hughes and Balfour, the spokesman said, however, likely would agree to meet the Chinese delegation in response to its request made late Friday. They thus would receive the Chinese report on the situation.

The British view is that the situation is so delicate that it would be difficult for the British and American delegation heads to intervene at the instance of the Chinese without the Japanese joining in the request. This, it was announced the Japanese announced to the Chinese Friday night they were willing to do, although they said they had no objection to the Chinese asking mediation.

The Chinese delegation shortly before noon received an invitation from Mr. Balfour for a conference late in the day. The delegation said it had not received any reply from Secretary Hughes to its request and did not believe that Mr. Hughes would be present at the conference with the British delegation head.

Later it was learned that Secretary Hughes had agreed to see the Chinese delegation informally at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon regarding the Shantung deadlock.

Naval Pact Near Completion

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press.—As the naval experts of the arms conference met with the determination of concluding Saturday the shaping of technical details for the naval limitation treaty, the armament committee prepared to clear the way for final framing of the treaty with its allied pacts and declarations, probably to be started Monday.

For disposition by the full committee prior to beginning the actual framing of the limitation treaty, there remained only the American proposal, presented Friday, to prescribe gas warfare on sea or land among the five powers with all other nations invited to subscribe to the declaration as a new principle of international law. It appeared certain that the other powers would join Italy in giving approval to this project to strip war in future of the horrors German ingenuity let loose upon the world.

Outlaw Use of Poison Gas As Weapon of War

WASHINGTON, D. C.—By The Associated Press. — Poison gas as an instrument of warfare was outlawed Saturday by Great Britain, Japan, France, Italy and the United States, who, through their representatives in the Washington conference, approved the American proposal to prohibit the use of that weapon.

After the adoption of the anti-gas resolution the armament committee took up the report of its sub-committee on aircraft limitation but reached no conclusion on that matter. The aircraft discussion will be continued Monday.

On the question of aircraft the sub-committee reported that it was deemed impossible to limit the size or use, or characteristics, of aircraft, other than lighter than air machines, and that the question of restricting aircraft in its opinion should be left open for a future conference.

THREATS ARE MADE AGAINST LIFE OF MISS MARY GARDEN

Letter Accompanied by Box Containing Pistol and Nine Dum-Dum Bullets

CHICAGO, Ill.—Detectives personally picked by Chief of Police Fitzmorris Saturday were searching for the person or persons who sent Mary Garden, director general of the Chicago Grand Opera company, a threatening letter and later dispatched a box containing a pistol and nine cartridges to the diva.

Miss Garden notified Chief Fitzmorris that her life had been threatened and admitted receiving a box, which contained a revolver and some cartridges, which had been cut into "dum-dum" bullets. In the letter the writer said he had reserved three bullets for her and "hoped" he would "soon have the pleasure of seeing her body float down the Chicago river."

LEMBERGER ACTION HELD VINDICATION OF ACCUSED MAN

MADISON, Wis.—M. A. Stolen, attorney for John A. Johnson, serving a life sentence on the charge of killing Anne Lemberger here in 1914, issued a statement Saturday saying that refusal of Martin Lemberger, father of the girl, now charged with fourth degree manslaughter, in connection with her death, to stand trial is a vindication for Johnson.

"The outcome of the preliminary hearing amounts to a complete vindication," Mr. Stolen says. "In fact, Mr. Johnson's claim to an unconditional pardon because he is innocent, is as good now as it would have been had Mr. Lemberger been convicted."

Attorneys for Lemberger have announced that they will set up the statute of limitations, freeing their client from standing trial for the crime of which he is charged, when he is arraigned Monday morning.

U. S. IS MENTALLY DEFICIENT SAYS JOHN B. COLEMAN

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The United States is mentally a "sixth grade" nation, John B. Coleman of La Crosse, told the annual convention of the National Society of Vocational education.

MICHIGAN SENATOR TAKES THE FLOOR IN NEWBERRY DEFENSE

WASHINGTON.—Senator Townsend took the floor in the senate Saturday in a defense of his colleague from Michigan, Senator Newberry, the title to whose seat is contested by Henry Ford, his democratic opponent.

Referring to what he characterized as the spirit of animosity and hatred which had marked discussion of the Newberry case, Senator Townsend said it was necessary, in order to arrive at a clear understanding of the facts for senators to know and appreciate the conditions under which the Michigan senatorial primary was conducted in 1918.

WASHINGTON QUERIES MEXICO ON SEIZURE OF BAPTIST PROPERTY

WASHINGTON.—The state department has instructed the American embassy at Mexico City to request of the Mexican government an explanation of seizure by the municipality of Saltillo of property of the foreign mission board of the southern Baptist convention concerning which protest had been made to the department by Senator Harris of Georgia. The seizure included the property operated by the mission board as a girls' school.

DISMISS PROFESSIONALISM CHARGES AGAINST ATHLETES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Charges of professionalism brought against Joie Ray and Loren Murchinson of the Illinois Athletic club, Jackson V. Scholz of the Detroit Athletic club and Frank and Joe Loomis of the Chicago Athletic club, will be killed according to announcement Saturday by Charles A. Dean of the Central Athletic A. U., and member of the committee that investigated the charges. The athletes were charged with "padding" expense accounts for trips to eastern cities to compete in A. A. U. games.

Dean declared that the charges were not sustained.

CONTINUE SMALL HEARING

WAUKEGAN, Ill.—Hearing on motions of the defense for separate trials for Governor Small and Vernon Curtis charged with conspiracy to defraud the state was continued by Judge Edwards Saturday for one week.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY IN CHURCHES OF LA CROSSE

Go To Church TOMORROW

PASTOR'S UNION

The La Crosse Valley Ministers' association will hold the January meeting in the Y. M. C. A. of La Crosse on Monday afternoon at 2:30.

The second in the series of addresses on "The Church in Relation to Modern Problems" will be given by Rev. C. C. Rowlison, his theme being "Law Enforcement and the Eighteenth Amendment," with late information from the national convention which he attended.

EPISCOPAL

The services on Sunday at Christ church, corner of Ninth and Main streets, Rev. Robert D. Vinter, rector, will be:

Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

Church school at 9:30 a. m.

Morning prayer, with sermon by the rector, at 10:15 a. m.

The music at the 10:45 service, under the direction of Prof. Christopher Thornton, will be as follows:

Organ—

(a) "Prelude and Fugue in C Minor" ..... Bach

(b) "Cantilene religieuse" ..... Dubois

Processional, 62, "From the Eastern Mountains" ..... Mann

Venite in A flat ..... Anon

Te Deum in F ..... Buskerck

Benedictus in E flat ..... Anon

Hymn 86, "Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning" ..... Harding

Gloria Patri in E flat ..... Robinson

Offertory, "From the Rising of the Sun" ..... Dudley

Doxology.

Recessional, "As With Gladness Men of Old" ..... Kocker

Organ postlude, "Allegro Pomposo" ..... Lamont Galbraith

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St. Peter's (Episcopal) church, corner of Avon and Logan streets, north side, Rev. W. J. MacPartney, pastor.

Services Sunday, January 8th, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Church school at 11:45 a. m. Thorough instruction in Christian doctrine by trained teachers. We invite all children not connected elsewhere to join our fast growing Sunday school.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Elder, W. Ellis Wilebank.

Sunday school at 10:30. Lesson, theological class, "Will Many or Few be Saved?"

Intermediate department lesson: "The Ministry of the Resurrected Lord on This the American Continent."

Preaching service at 7. "What Can be Gained by Living the Gospel While Upon This Earth," will be the subject of a discourse and it will show where people are happier when so living.

Services free. All welcome. 1204 Caledonia street, Fjelstad hall.

RESCUE MISSION

La Crosse Rescue Mission, 2254 Main street, D. C. Dewey, superintendent. Mrs. D. C. Dewey, missionary.

A real live Sunday school at 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting at 4 and an old-fashioned gospel service at 7:30. If you like to sing come and help us in 30 minutes of song preceding the sermon.

This will be a big week with some real gospel preachers.

Rev. J. L. Panzlau will speak on Tuesday night and Rev. W. S. Stewart will bring us a message on Thursday night. Don't miss hearing these men of God. Come early to get a seat. If it keeps on we will have to put out the S. R. O. sign.

Services every night but Monday. Reading and rest room open all day.

On Monday at 2 p. m. we will distribute ladies' clothing to all those that apply. We have an over-supply and as our ladies' clothes room is small we must make room for the clothes coming in.

Y. W. C. A.

Vesper services at the Y. W. C. A. at 4:30 Sunday afternoon will be under the direction of Congregational church ladies. Prof. John P. Downs, of Beloit college, will speak on "The Oldest Song Book," and Mrs. Percy L. Culley will sing. Vesper tea will be served by ladies of the Fourth Circle of the Congregational church.

METHODIST

First Methodist church, Rev. E. C. Dixon, pastor.

Sunday School, all departments, 10 a. m.

Morning service 11 a. m. The quartet will sing "Judge Me, O God," Mendelssohn; Dr. H. J. Marshall will sing "My Hope Is in the Everlasting" from Jairus' Daughter, Stratner. Prof. Rowstron's special numbers will be "Adagio," Mendelssohn, and "Grand Chorus," Haussmann.

The sermon topic will be "Unanswered Prayer." That is a matter of great interest and perplexity to many. Let us think it over.

The Vesper Tea will be served at 5:30 p. m. All young people cordially invited to be present. At 6:30 the devotional meeting, led by Miss Lucille Prizzell. This will be the first of a series of interesting studies in "John Wesley, Jr."

At the evening service the quartet will sing "O Love the Lord," Sullivan. The organ numbers will be "Molto Lento," Dittrich, and "Impromptu," Houghton.

The sermon topic will be "The Gulf Between," or the contrast between two worlds.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society will meet with Miss Edith Cutting, 235 South 11th St., Monday 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., special program, "Our Boys and Girls." Several interesting talks are planned.

Thursday the Missionary Society meets with Mrs. G. H. Johns, who will be assisted in entertaining by Mesdames Henry and Olson. The lesson will be by Mrs. Beckhausen and Marietta Townsend will have a piano selection.

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Salzer Memorial church, J. L. Panzlau, pastor.

Sunday school 9:30 in the morning; O. W. Stuenster, superintendent.

Sermon 10:45; text: Isaiah 11:6, "And a little child shall lead them."

Epworth League 6:45. Rev. R. C. Brandenburg, leader.

Preaching 7:30; topic: "The Real Mission of the Sunday School Worker." This will be the installation service of the newly elected officers and teachers of the Sunday school. The parents and scholars of the Sunday school are cordially invited. The junior choir will render a special number at this service.

Music for the day: Prof. J. R. Kerr, musical director and Roy Hoffmann, organist. Morning song by the choir, "Praise the Lord" by Wilson; "Evening Prayer" by Lorenz; organ numbers, Prelude by Smith; Postlude by Rockwide.

Monday evening the Standard Bearer society will meet in the church parlors. The secretary of the Y. W. C. A. will address the young people.

Official board meeting on the same night in the Sunday school room.

Wednesday evening Bible study and prayer meeting.

Friday evening the Epworth league will serve a fine chicken supper from five to eight in the church parlors. The general public is cordially invited.

Saturday afternoon religious instruction for children.

The junior choir meets for practice at 6:45 p. m. Saturday and the regular choir at 7:30. Everybody is cordially invited to all our services.

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West Avenue M. E. church, 916 West avenue, C. C. Ralston, pastor.

Morning worship, 10:50 a. m. Rev. S. L. Cooper of Madison, will speak in the interest of the hospitals and homes of the church.

Sunday school, 11:50 a. m., Supt. L. C. Nelson.

Junior League, 2:30 p. m., Vivian Lewis, superintendent.

Epworth League, 6:45 p. m. Subject, "Organized Methodist Young People." The pastor will lead.

Evening sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Next Sunday the pastor will begin a series of sermons, the subjects to be announced later.

Caledonia Street Methodist church, J. H. Benson, pastor.

Sunday services:

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. Public Worship. Subject of Sermon, "The Burning Question of the Age."

7 p. m. Epworth League.

8 p. m. Public Worship. Song service and talk by the pastor on the subject of "The First Murderer."

Wednesday, 8 p. m., Mid-week service.

Friday, 3 p. m., Ladies Aid society.

SPIRITUALIST

At the business meeting of the church it was voted to again resume meetings in the Trades' and Labor hall indefinitely, until other arrangements can be made. Therefore services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Catharine McFarlin, Sunday and Wednesday evenings of the coming week at 7:30, 427 Jay street, third floor.

Program consists of sermon and Psychic Lists or Spiritual Gifts.

Subject will be, "Religion and Business."

Wednesday evening, Some Proofs of Spiritual Phenomena in the Bible.

All who are interested, are cordially welcome.

REFORMED

St. John's Reformed church, 4th and Market, C. Stoelmeier, pastor.

Neither Sunday school nor Services, January 8th, due to the pastor's absence from town.

Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, the church board meets at the lecture room of the church at 7:45.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening.

Religious school Saturday morning, Jan. 14th, at 9:30.

PRESBYTERIAN

First Presbyterian church, Sixth and King streets, Claude R. Shaver, minister.

Morning worship, at 10:55, will afford consideration of a theme which is often in the minds of people and is found on many pages of history—"Jesus' Idea of the Church." There are many human ideas along this line, but those of Christ are very definite.

Evening worship, at 7:30, will present encouraging thought along the line of open religious conviction. "A Faith to Be Proud of," is the theme. Our usual popular song service will precede. Just an hour of inspiring song and praise. Come!

Bible Schools meet promptly at 9:45 a. m.; Grace Chapel School meets at 2:30 p. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. in the parlors of the church, is open to all thoughtful young folk desirous of spending an hour in consideration of timely thoughts along higher lines.

Mothers' Circle will be entertained in the parlors on Wednesday afternoon by the following: Mesdames C. N. Reessen, Mary Bramwell, W. H. Bleakly and C. Christiansen. Prompt attendance is desired in order that extra work may be accomplished.

Women's Missionary Society will be the guest of Mrs. S. C. Coate, 416 South Fourteenth street on Friday afternoon at three. Devotions, Mrs. B. F. Holmes; items, Mrs. C. J. Sleer; lesson, Mrs. C. C. Fletcher.

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North Presbyterian Church, Avon and Logan streets, Malcolm O. Magnuson, minister.

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11. One of our old hymns grandly starts out with the lines, "How firm a foundation, ye Saints of the Lord, is laid for your faith in his excellent word." The pastor, recently having seen the ravings and rantings of a famous socialist author, desires to speak on the second chapter of 2 Timothy, 2:19, "Nevertheless, the foundation of God standeth sure." How secure the true church of God has a right to be in spite of all the assaults of wickedness!

C. E. and evening service at 7:00. Roy Smith will be the leader.

Midweek service of praise, prayer and Bible study on Wednesday 7:45 p. m. in the Primary room. This is your service. Why not come?

Thursday 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors the meeting of the Ladies Aid society. Business session promptly at 2:30 p. m. This is followed by the refreshments and social hour. The following ladies will entertain: Mesdames C. L. Allemang, L. Instenes and E. Forsland.

EVANGELICAL

The Evangelical Free Church, Winnebago and Fourth streets, E. A. Jonasson, pastor.

Morning sermon in Norwegian at 10:45.

Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Young Peoples' meeting, English, at 7 p. m. Mrs. M. Hansen will lead this meeting.

Evening service in the English language at 8 o'clock. Mr. O. Larson will preach and good singing.

Tuesday evening choir practice at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. We have our annual business meeting and election of officers for the year.

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the Ladies' Aid society meets in the church. A good program will be prepared and refreshment served.

Saturday, 2 p. m., children's meeting in the church.

A hearty welcome extended to all.

UNIVERSALIST

St. Paul's Universalist church, corner Cass and Eighth streets, Rev. Nellie Mann Oprale, pastor.

Sunday school at 9 p. m.

Regular preaching service at 4 p. m. Subject of sermon, "Three Ways of Meeting Life's Experience."

Wednesday, Jan. 11, the Annual Parish meeting which was postponed from last week will be held at 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Cass and Eighth streets.

Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Sacrament."

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

Reading room open every day except Sunday and legal holidays from 11:00 a. m. to 5 p. m., room 415 Bodilson National Bank Bldg., fourth floor.

CONGREGATIONAL

The First Congregational church, Seventh and Main streets, Rev. Carlos C. Rowlison, pastor.

Public worship at 10:30 o'clock. The pastor will be in Winona, but the Rev. Prof. John P. Deane, of Beloit college, will fill the pulpit. Professor Deane is one of the Christian leaders of the state. The choruses will be: "Praise the Lord," Fulton; and "Ye Shall Go Out With Joy," Barnby. The organ numbers are: "Meditation," E. L. Ashford; "Prayer," Guilmant; March, Batiste. Everyone invited.

The Church school meets by departments as usual. Classes for men and for women immediately following the church service. All invited.

At the young people's meeting at 5:00 o'clock, Professor Deane will give a stereopticon address upon the subject, "How We Got Our Bible." Everyone is invited to hear this address, which will be very instructive. Social refreshments 5:30-6:00 o'clock.

Wednesday evening meeting for prayer and conference 7:30 o'clock, followed by meeting of the church cabinet.

Mission study class Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Miss Buell, 122 South 19th street.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Tonight at 8 o'clock, Praise meeting.

Sunday 10:30 a. m., Holiness meeting.

Company meeting (Sunday School) 2:00 o'clock.

Salvation meeting 8 p. m. If you like the old fashioned testimony meeting, come and join us.

Tuesday night, Soldiers, converts and recruits meeting.

Thursday night, Reminiscent meeting. Come and enjoy this with us.

Friday night at the hall a prayer meeting where real seekers come. Those who believe in old time methods which have never failed, while the new man-made methods have utterly failed.

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BAPTIST

Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets, Rev. T. Knudson, pastor.

Morning services at 10:30.

Sunday school from 12 to 1:00. Mr. E. A. Forss, superintendent.

Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m.

Evening services in English at 7:30.

The Cottage Prayer meetings will be continued through next week at 7:30 every evening, except Saturday.

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First Baptist church, W. S. Stewart, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Morning worship at 11. The pastor will preach the second sermon in the series on "Great Essentials of Our Faith," the subject, being, "The Father of Jesus."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

Evening worship at 7:30. The subject for the evening message is "The Great Door."

Tuesday evening will be ladies' night at the Brotherhood. Supper will be served at 6:30. Interesting surprises are promised for the evening, and a fine program has been prepared.

Wednesday evening from 7 to 8 there will be a meeting of the missionary committee of the church. Eight to 9 Prayer meeting; 9 to 10 Teacher training class.

A cordial invitation is extended to all of the services of the church. Come to the church with a spiritual message and a warm welcome.

LUTHERAN

German Lutheran church, Rev. J. T. Gamm, pastor.

Regular services in German at 10 a. m.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.

No English service this Sunday. In the afternoon at 3:00 the "Story of Bethlehem" by West will be given by the choir under the direction of Prof. Otto Zielke, with Miss Erna Albrecht at the organ.

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Our Savior's Evangelical Lutheran Church, corner Sixth and Division streets, H. G. Magelssen, pastor.

First Sunday after Epiphany.

Services 10:30 a. m. Sermon in English by Rev. Idef Evans.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.

No evening services.

Young People's Society Tuesday evening will be entertained by Adolph Bue, Edgard Stokke, Alvin Anderson and the Misses Emma Lysaker, Irene and Ovida Anderson.

Choir hersersals Friday evenings.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner West Ave. and Division street, H. T. Brua, pastor.

Sunday school with Bible Study classes at 9:30 a. m. Public Worship at 10:45. Sermon in English.

The Young Peoples Society will meet on Wednesday evening and will be entertained by the P. M. Hovind and H. J. Hovind families. The meeting will commence promptly at 7:30.

The annual Business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. O. C. Nelson will entertain.

The annual Business meeting of the Men's Society will be held on Thursday evening.

Confirmation instruction on Saturday at 9:30.

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Immanuel Lutheran church, corner Avon and St. Paul streets, Julius W. Bergholz pastor.

Regular services at 10:00 o'clock a. m. The annual report will be read at this service and the newly elected trustees installed.

Sunday school, 11:15 a. m.

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Trinity Lutheran Church, corner of Charles and Sill street, E. O. Wik, pastor.

Services Sunday, 10:30 a. m. services in English Sunday school with Bible classes, 9:30 a. m.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon Annual business meeting with reports of the work of the year and election of officers.

Annual business meeting of the congregation Thursday evening, January 12th at 8 o'clock.

The choir will meet for rehearsal Tuesday evening. The catechumens will meet in the class room of the church Saturday at 10 a. m.

"THANKS," FIVE YEARS

Grateful acknowledgment of the courtesy of THE TRIBUNE AND LEADER-PRESS for the free use of this space during the last five years is expressed by the Publicity Committee of the La Crosse Federated Churches.

We feel that the brief message, usually carried here, has reached many minds and that the interest in religion has been increased in all the churches of the city. This interest could be doubled again, if every reader would pass along these thoughts by personal invitation and conversation.

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REORGANIZATION OF TEACHERS' PENSION WELL UNDER WAY

All Eligibles Expected to be Enrolled by End of Present School Year

MADISON, Wis.—Reorganization of the state teachers' retirement fund as provided by the 1921 legislature is definitely under way, with the enrollment of all eligible teachers expected before the end of the present school year, R. J. Loveland, executive secretary, declared in a review of the first six months' operation of the new law.

With the tax of $1,300,000 already assessed on incomes through a surtax to meet the state obligations to the teachers for the first year, the fund has assumed concrete form and has extended to include all teachers of the state over 25 years of age within its provisions.

The office force handling the reorganized fund has been increased and an organization built up during the past six months which will meet the situation arising from the extension of the insurance system, Mr. Loveland said. Payments by teachers are expected to amount to $500,000 this year, and to nearly $1,000,000 during 1922-23, increasing the work of the office.

All money taken in by tax and through teachers' deposits is placed with the state treasurer and then loaned out by the annuity board directing affairs of the fund. Loans which will amount to approximately $2,000,000 annually after this year, are made as far as consistent with safety of investment, to farmers.

After careful study of the situation, annuity board members have determined tentatively to invest in Wisconsin farm mortgage bonds. No general policy of investment has been determined upon by the board which is still considering the problem.

Payments by teachers are all credited to their individual funds—which are maintained separately under the plan of the law, Mr. Loveland said. The individual deposits draw regular interest and are added to each year by the state on the basis of length of service and the amount of salary. State payments increase with increasing strength of service and decrease with the higher salaries.

The coming year will find the organization handling the retirement fund in perfect order and all the work of rebuilding the old system complete, Mr. Loveland declared.

CONVICTED MINNESOTAN TO SERVE HIS SENTENCE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Jacob O. Bentall, one time socialist candidate for governor of Minnesota, who was convicted of violating the espionage act will abandon his announced appeal to the United States supreme court and begin serving a two years' sentence at Leavenworth penitentiary next week, it was announced by his friends here Friday.

MILWAUKEE ONE OF WETTEST CITIES IN THE U. S. IS CLAIM

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Dr. R. C. Matthews, personal representative of Roy A. Haynes, prohibition commissioner arrived in Milwaukee Friday to investigate the liquor situation.

"Milwaukee is one of the wettest cities in the United States," he said. "More moonshine than the average is sold here.

"Less than four per cent of the liquor sold as bonded whiskey is actually bonded.

"Outside prohibition agents working in Milwaukee will concern themselves only with 'big stuff.'"

Dr. Matthews will confer with Director Stone regarding a successor to William J. Lawrence, formerly chief federal prohibition enforcement officer for Wisconsin, who resigned December 31. He said that a successor probably would be decided upon at Washington within a few days.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS

A Summary of the News

CHICAGO, Ill. — The National Dairy union passed a resolution asking congress for legislation which will "protect the public and the dairy farmer from the fraudulent manufacture and sale of filled milk."

CANNES.—The allied supreme council decided to hold a European economic conference during the first two weeks of March at Genoa.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The house passed the first annual supply measure draft under the budget system—the treasury appropriation bill carrying approximately $169,000,000 of which more than $9,500,000 is for enforcement of prohibition.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—Two negro women employes of packing houses were shot and seriously wounded by unidentified assailants.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. — Willingness of the United Mine Workers to meet with coal operators in an interstate joint wage conference was expressed in a telegram sent by President Lewis to the Illinois operators.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Unemployment increased in the United States during December, according to department of labor estimates, by 1.7 per cent.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Germany's foreign trade for November resulted in greatly diminishing by volume the adverse trade balance of that country, according to a cable to commerce department.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Mrs. Catherine Wheelwright of this city, mother of Eamon De Valera, said she had expected her son's resignation from the Irish presidency.

BERLIN.—German young men in Upper Silesia have revived the practice of cutting off the hair of German girls who have dealings with "enemy troops of occupation," according to an Upper Silesian newspaper received here.

MARKING OF STATE HISTORICAL SITES UNDER DISCUSSION

Landsmark Committee of State Society to Meet in Madison January 24

MADISON, Wis.—The marking of historical sites in Wisconsin will be considered by the Landsmark committee of the State Historical society which meets here January 24, according to announcement Saturday. On that occasion special attention will be given to points of interest in the Indian history of the state.

David Atwood, state printer, and chairman of the Indian Landsmark committee has arranged a program which will bring noted archeologists and leading Indians of the state to Madison. Among the speakers will be Dr. G. L. Collie and C. E. Brown, Madison, curator of the State Historical society.

The feature of the program, it is said, will be the dedication of the Potawatomi Spirit stone which the Wisconsin Archeological society caused to be brought from Forest county to the state historical museum grounds. This stone has been known to the Potawatomi Indians from the earliest days, and has constantly been used by the tribesmen to bring them good fortune.

At the committee meetings plans will be discussed for the work of the coming summer, when it is expected that many of the land marks will be plotted and marked so that they may be preserved.

Some of the interesting Indian mounds under discussion are two sets recently discovered in Elmside and Hudson parks at Madison and a group of 28 mounds on Farwell point. There is also an old French trading post and fort located between the Brule and St. Croix rivers which will be included in the preliminary list.

GIFFORD PLAYERS IN STOCK PLAYS AT THE RIVIERA NEXT WEEK

The Gifford Players Stock company will open a week's engagement at the Riviera on Monday. The opening bill will be "Turn to the Right," the famous Broadway stage comedy. Manager A. J. Cooper of the Riviera announces that the Gifford Players do not offer musical comedy but high-class legitimate drama, of the same standard of excellence as the Beach-Jones Stock company. Snappy vodvil numbers will be given between acts. There will be three changes of program during the week. The Gifford Players come to La Crosse after highly successful runs in cities throughout Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa, where they have won high favor with theater patrons for their splendid acting and interpretations of the many big plays that they have presented.

Stick insect of Borneo is the largest known.

SISTER DIES DURING FUNERAL OF KIN IN WAUKON CHURCH

WAUKON, Ia.—Following an illness of several months, Mrs. Ernest Dillenberg passed away Monday evening at her home in this city. She was born in Ludlow township, this county, May 8, 1866. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rueggemeier. She was married on February 22, 1889, in Waukon to Ernest Dillenberg, who died January 20, 1921. Two children, Harold and Clarice, survive Mrs. Dillenberg. Three sisters and one brother also survive, namely, Mrs. Mary Sieknoier and Mrs. Sophia Ding of Waukon, Mr. Henry Rueggemeier and Mrs. Augusta Goeke of Ludlow.

The last named sister, Mrs. Goeke, also passed away just before the hour of her sister's funeral Wednesday afternoon.

Three other sisters, Mrs. August Stieck and Misses Anna and Minnie Rueggemeier, preceded her in death.

During the funeral service of Mrs. Dillenberg the audience was further shocked and saddened when the pastor announced the news that Mrs. Augusta Goeke, a sister of Mrs. Dillenberg, had passed away about an hour before the funeral. She had been ill only a few days from pneumonia at her home three miles south of this city. She is survived by one daughter by her first marriage, Mrs. Minnie Kloepping, of Lexington, Nebraska, and three sons and one daughter, Samuel, John and George and Miss Stella, all of this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee of this city were doubly grieved on New Year's day when the mothers of both passed away. Mr. Lee's mother died at her home in St. Paul, and Mrs. Lee's mother died the same day at her home at Kellogg, Minn., which was also the former home of the older Mrs. Lee and to which place her remains were taken for burial.

GOLDMAN AND PARTY REACH STOCKHOLM

STOCKHOLM.—Er The Associated Press.—Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and Alexander Shapiro, deportees from America, who recently left Riga for Stockholm on their way out of soviet Russia, arrived Friday. They have received permission to remain a month in Sweden for the purpose of finding means to proceed to some other country.



ATTORNEY DROWNS WHEN AUTO BREAKS THROUGH LAKE ICE

Madison Man Attempts Short Cut Across Lake Monona; Body Not Recovered

MADISON, Wis.—Hal R. Martin, local attorney, was drowned Thursday night when the closed automobile he was driving across the ice of Lake Monona, plunged through into an opening at the point where the Yahara river empties into the lake.

Martin had attempted a short cut over the ice, but on arriving at the opposite shore, found his way blocked by snow he turned back and was driving for an open space when the car was seen, according to people on shore, go headlong into the lake.

The body is believed pinned within the automobile. Police were notified at once, but have not yet recovered the body, their work being impeded by ice.

Martin is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin law school, class of 1906. Following his admission to the bar he practiced in Edgerton, Wis., moving to Madison four years ago where he opened a law office.

He is survived by a widow and two children.

PUT OFF STILLMAN DIVORCE HEARING

NEW YORK.—The Stillman divorce hearing set for Montreal next week will not be held because James A. Stillman, the plaintiff refuses to pay the $7,500 costs requested by his wife, it was announced Friday by Cornelius J. Sullivan, chief of counsel for the banker.

J. F. Brennan, head of Mrs. Stillman's legal staff, said that unless the money was paid the effort to take testimony of Canadians next week would be abandoned.



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VIROQUA TOBACCO WAREHOUSE REOPENS MONDAY FOR SORTING

VIROQUA, Wis.—The tobacco warehouses of Bekkedahl and Eckhardt will open next Monday for the sorting of the 1921 tobacco crop. This will greatly relieve the unemployment situation in this city. It will undoubtedly be a long season of work and will practically give employment to all who are out of work within a few weeks. Fifty employes are asked to report for the first week's work.

JOAN OF ARC STATUE IS UNVEILED FRIDAY AT NATION'S CAPITAL

WASHINGTON.—The statue of Jeanne D'Arc presented by the women of France to the women of America—an exact replica of the famous statue that stands in front of the Reims cathedral—was unveiled here Friday by Mrs. W. G. Harding assisted by Mme. Jusserand, wife of the ambassador. A ceremonial program including addresses by Secretary Weeks, M. Jusserand and Mrs. George M. Miner, president of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was arranged for the unveiling on the site donated by the government in Meridian Hill park.

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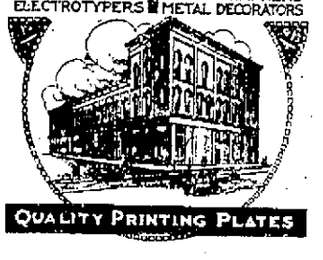
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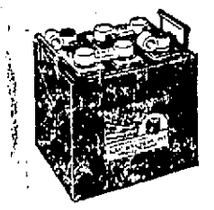
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WHAT PROFIT

"FOR what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?—Mark 8: 36.

Hays and the Movies

JUST what the motion picture magnates expect Will Hays to do for them in return for the $150,000—and up—that they have offered him seems rather vague. Of course it isn't acting. Even his admirers cannot claim for Mr. Hays the face of a leading man nor the temperament of a comic. But he is a first-class organizer, and has a long and level head. The hints that he is to be a sort of arbiter of business and ethics for the industry seem more in his line. Apparently the movie men have in mind the action of the baseball magnates, who offered Judge Landis $50,000 a year to lend his reputation and dignity to the national commission.

There have been no scandals in the movies as crude and raw as the World Series exposures which shocked baseball two years ago. But the business has been rather a go-as-you-please adventure, so quickly expanded from small beginnings that it had small chance to develop a respectable code of practice beyond the instincts of its individual members, among whom were unfortunately a good many buccaneers and adventurers. Efforts made by the producers who were not in this class—and seconded by the majority of exhibitors, who directly feel the pressure of public opinion—to lift affairs in the movie world to a higher plane consonant with its great influence and power have been opposed by the low-grade men in the business, and to a large extent nullified. For more than a year this internal struggle has been going on in the industry, and it would appear to mark a distinct advantage to the better sort of producers that a decision has been reached to engage a general from outside the industry who would have the confidence and respect of the public.

Will Hays seems a good choice. Mr. Hays is a practical man, a harmonizer and organizer of positive genius. And he is fairly representative of the sound, wholesome majority of the American public. He is an elder in a church that is strict in its beliefs, and everything in his record points to a way of life and thought that is in keeping with that position. In minor matters Mr. Hays is often unconventional, but in the essentials that underlie the accepted code of the "middle class"—that decent, unadventurous and much-maligned backbone of America—he is faithful to his type. The qualities should be useful to a business that is feeling for a foundation upon which to build a structure adequate to a future of unlimited possibilities.

As we understand it, Mr. Hays is not to be a censor of the matter and manner of the pictures. His job, if he takes it, will be to put into effect a business rather than an artistic code. But it seems probable that such a work would not be without its effect upon the end of the movie business which touches the public directly. There is an intimate connection between the business and the production branches of the picture game, and the establishment of wholesome standards for one will doubtless be reflected in the other. And while Mr. Hays will hardly be credited with great achievement in the realm of imaginative artistry, his fundamentals—principles, conventions, morals or whatever you are minded to call them—ought to make a pretty wholesome background for the development of the movies along useful rather than bizarre and decadent lines.

U. S. and Europe

THE focal point of interest in international disarmament right now is at Cannes, not at Washington. The Washington conference is in the doldrums, mulling over the details of the capital ship limitation agreement and bickering over the uncompromising defiance of China and Japan on far eastern points. Any further advances that may be made at Washington must be based on agreements reached by the supreme council of the allies at Cannes. European anxieties and distrusts barred the door to consideration of land armament, aeroplanes and submarines at Washington. Capital ships were but one phase of the question of disarmament, and perhaps not the most important. As to the weapons that will be chiefly used in the next war, if it comes, nothing seems likely to be done until the rivalries of Europe can be soothed to a point where nations feel that they may not need them any day. Uncle Sam started the disarmament discussion, but we can't finish it. Unless the other powers disarm we daren't. Unless they can settle their problems they daren't. It would seem that American participation in the plans for settlement in Europe would assist disarmament, which seems to be the starting point of American plans for keeping the peace. Too bad that our share in the discussion upon which the fate of our hopes rests should be limited to the presence of an "observer", authorized only to listen. The situation should be instructive in view of the supreme council's invitation to us to take part in later discussions of European necessities next March.

The Air Pioneers

TWELVE hundred Americans now have their own airplanes, says the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce. The figure is for civilian fliers. It does not include aviators on the government payroll. During 1921, these 1200 civilian air pioneers flew a total of more than 6,500,000 miles and carried 275,000 passengers. This means that if you had your own flying machine you could expect to get out of it about 5,417 miles a year and give rides to 230 friends a year, on the average. Experts estimate that flying by civilians gained a fifth last year. In the long run, the history of humanity may select that as the most important progress made by Americans in 1921.

Conquest of the air made rapid strides last year. American fliers broke many records during 1921. Uncle Sam's air mail force increased its average efficiency to about ninety percent. It now is recognized as a model the world over. Two-day mail service across the continent! Flying forest rangers discovered 838 forest fires during the year. Late in 1921, Stinson and Bertaud broke the endurance record by remaining in the air twenty-six hours, nineteen minutes and thirty-five seconds. Another record broken in America during 1921 was by Lieutenant J. A. Macready, who in September reached an altitude of more than 37,800 feet above Dayton, O. Successful parachute drops from a height of 25,000 feet were made during 1921. We look on these as achievements. So they are. But the achievement of today is the commonplace of tomorrow.

The first airplanes were looked on as county fair curiosities. But so were the first steam railroad locomotives, which burned cord wood for fuel and had side-brakes like a stage coach. Few of us fully realize the tremendous strides that have been made by airplane flying. It is only a matter of a few years until flying will be as safe as traveling on the ground. The great flying feats of America's air pioneers are paving the way for safe, cheap and phenomenally rapid flying by the average American, now riding in street cars or autos.

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In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

That La Crosse city and county will stand for Woodrow Wilson as the democratic candidate for the presidential election of 1912 is a foregone conclusion. Leading democrats are organizing a Wilson club and efforts are being made to enlist not only democratic voters but voters of all political parties and independent voters.

The Pamperin Cigar company, 113-115 South Second street, today purchased the labels and good will of the P. and W. Cigar company. The Pamperin company announces preparations for material expansion that will make it the largest cigar factory in the northwest.

J. V. Young, for four years manager of the Wisconsin Bell Telephone company in this city, has been promoted to the office of district traffic manager of the Madison district of the Wisconsin Bell, with headquarters at Madison. Mr. Young will be succeeded in La Crosse by J. J. McMann, at present located at Columbus, Ohio.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A philanthropist, whose name is a secret with a few members of the board of education has offered to bear the expense of the installation of a manual training system in the La Crosse public schools, providing the school board or city will provide for its maintenance after it is established. There is enough room in most of the grade schools for a manual training department, the new Vine street and Hogan schools having been planned so there is surplus room for such a department.

W. W. Taylor and family leave tonight for an extended trip through the south. M. C. Greenwood will accompany them.

George A. Yost, for years a salesman for J. E. Willing, left yesterday for Cashton to assume control of Mr. Willing's store at that place.

R. H. Major, clerk of the board of public works, resigned his position yesterday to take effect Feb. 1. Mr. Major will take a position with a tobacco concern in Milwaukee.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A petition was circulated today which provides for the closing of stores at 6:30 for a few weeks during the winter. Shoe men of the city signed it and the rest are falling into line. The movement is hailed with satisfaction by the clerks.

The new charter for the Northern Star Lodge of the Knights of Labor arrived in the city this morning in care of Organizer Spettel. It came direct from General Secretary John W. Hayes of Philadelphia, Pa.

At the common council last night a petition was introduced to have some other street than King street set aside for speeding horses. The petition was acted upon and West Avenue was selected as the highway for the speeders to train their horses on.

The newly organized Schuetzen Verein has asked the city for the privilege to locate a shooting range on the low land south of the city. As there would be no objection to short range shooting in that locality the request will likely be granted.

Confidence

By FRANK H. WILLIAMS

"Down in Hah-wah-ya,
Where the lovin' is free,
A red-headed girl
Made a wreck out of me,
And there never was a wreck
Like the wreck she made of mee-e-e!"

The voice that gave utterance to this thrilling sentiment was deep and full. And the man from whom the voice came looked about as much like a wreck as a dreadnought just off the ways. He was somewhat over 6 feet in height, had a dandy Dempsey chest, a tanned face, blue eyes and engaging smile.

His name was Howard Folwell. He was singing as he strode back and forth in the basement of the Riverside Country Club waiting for his companions to array themselves in golf attire and sally forth with him to whang the ball around the course for an hour or two.

But though he sang and though he seemed carefree and happy, there really was a cloud on Folwell's life.

The cloud was the fact that Beatrice Jackson, holder of the women's championship at the Riverside Club, scored his advances and smiled sweetly upon Lem Wheeling, rival of Folwell in no uncertain terms that she never, never, never could care for a man who sliced his drives and was a dub with a putter. Which was pretty hard on Folwell, since he was all that and a little bit more.

So, it wasn't surprising that Folwell, in singing about the girl who had made a wreck of his career, put a depth of feeling into the ditty that called forth groans and yelps from the assembled listeners.

"Say, old top," exclaimed one of Folwell's friends, "if you put as much time and effort into trying to cut out your slice on your drive you'd be a whirlwind."

"As a singer you're a wonderful golf player and as a golfist you're a knockout, as a singer!" exclaimed another of the men.

Whereupon Folwell turned toward the lockers with the intention of messing up things a bit with the playful maulings of his two-ton paw, when through a window in the basement he saw Beatrice pass by with hated Lem Wheeling close beside her.

At this sight wrath rose in Folwell's heart. He saw red. He had an intense desire to seize Lem by the neck of his fancy silk shirt and rend him asunder. And with this feeling governing his actions, Folwell hurried from the basement out into the hot sun.

By this time, Beatrice and Lem were at the first tee prepared to drive off. Beatrice, turning back toward the clubhouse, saw Folwell scowling at her.

"Hello, Hod," she cried. "Watch this!"

Gracefully efficiently, Beatrice addressed the ball and then socked it down the course for a good 200 yards.

Folwell watched her sullenly. It had been many a long day since he had made a 200-yard drive.

"Now if I could only do as well as that, or better," sighed Folwell to himself, "there'd be nothing to it. She'd be mine before the week's over. But it can't be done—a dub like me can never get good. I wish something would happen, dawgone it!"

Perhaps Folwell's wish was responsible for it—who knows?—but at any rate something did happen just a moment or so later, something which had a deep and lasting effect on Folwell's future.

As Folwell stood gazing disconsolately after Beatrice and Lem, he became conscious of the fact that his favorite caddy was standing close to him, watching him with keen eyes. Contrary to the usual situation, this caddy idolized Folwell in spite of the latter's poor playing. Always the caddy prophesied a brilliant future for Folwell at the ancient game of golf, provided only he could get the proper amount of confidence in his own ability.

Now the caddy came close and whispered to Folwell mysteriously.

"Say, you can beat out that guy. I got the dope. My brother's an inventor, see? He's invented a vacuum golf ball. It's almost as light as air. It'll go a mile if you hit it an easy swat. You use this ball. Show up this Wheeling guy. Win the dame. See?"

"Hugh?" gasped Folwell, in great astonishment.

"You hold me—you hold me!" exclaimed the caddy. "I'll tee it up for you. Then you hit it—just nice an' easy. Don't strain. Just watch it go. Nothing can stop it."

The caddy's excitement and enthusiasm communicated themselves to Folwell. In intense hopefulness he watched the caddy tee the ball. Then he gripped his club loosely as the caddy straightened up. He heard the caddy yell "Fore" and saw Beatrice and Lem about 250 yards ahead of him turn and look and then laugh, as though amused at the mere thought that he might drive that far.

The caddy's confidence, the scorn of Beatrice and Lem, nerved Folwell to a great effort.

While Beatrice and Lem were still watching him, Folwell drew back and swung at the ball—nice and easy without any effort.

Up into the sky the ball rose, gracefully, unerringly. Straight down the course it flew, over the heads of the astonished couple watching him, and landed plump in the fairway a mere trifle of fifteen or twenty yards from the hole. A fine drive—225 yards at least.

"You see?" cried the caddy. "My brother was right—he said you couldn't stop this ball. Come on—we'll show 'em up today!"

Folwell's heart swelled with pride, enthusiasm and confidence. He was quite masterful as he walked by Beatrice and Lem, who viewed him with something like awe.

"That was some drive!" exclaimed Beatrice as he passed.

"Watch my next one!" exclaimed Folwell in return.

The first hole Folwell made a three. On his next drive he got a good 300 yards. And so, as he purged his lonely way around the course without waiting for his male friends, it went with all his drives. He was playing in perfect form. Nothing could stop him. And the best of it was that Beatrice and Lem were behind him and he could see Beatrice's interest in him increase while her interest in Lem slackened.

But with all Folwell's success he was becoming uneasy. It wasn't right, he felt, to win under false pretenses. He wouldn't want to get Beatrice that way.

So it was that at the end of the eighteen holes when Folwell had made a score which was two better than the record for the course that he drew Beatrice aside with an authority and a confidence he had not hitherto displayed in his dealings with her.

"Beatrice," he said, "I've always felt that if I was a good golf player you'd take me in preference to Lem."

The light in her eyes at this made his heart bound tumultuously. But he held himself well in hand.

"I want you more than anything in the world," said Folwell, "but I won't win you underhanded. I ought to tell you that my playing today was not due to my getting good all of a sudden. Those wonderful drives were due to the fact that I used a patented ball—it has a vacuum center and is as light as air. Now I don't suppose you'll ever have anything to do with me again!"

Folwell looked at Beatrice anxiously, sadly. Then to his intense surprise and joy, he saw a wonderful light come into her eyes.

"Oh, Hod," she cried, "only a real man could make a confession like that. I——"

But just when things were getting so very interesting, there came an interruption. Folwell's caddy suddenly appeared from behind a nearby hazard.

"Say, lady," said the caddy briskly, "I just fooled Mr. Folwell here so as to give him confidence. That's all he needs to make a great golf player—confidence. So I told him that dope about the vacuum ball. There ain't such a thing. He used an ordinary ball. But he did so good because he had confidence. Look here."

The caddy drew forth a ball which Folwell recognized as the one he had used. Quickly the caddy cut it open with his knife. Only the regulation center was revealed!

Folwell gazed at Beatrice and smiled happily at the light in her eyes.

"We'll be married just as quickly as possible!" he exclaimed with supreme confidence.

For just a moment Beatrice demurred.

"My, but you're high and mighty and—confident!" she exclaimed. "Perhaps I won't say yes, after all."

"Oh, yes, you will," exclaimed Folwell, drawing her to him and kissing her in spite of the grinning caddy!

And—she did!

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THE BOYS AND GIRLS NEWSPAPER

HUMOR PLAY WORK

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ONE REEL YARNS

THE "FANCY" SKATER

Earl was "cutting initials" on the ice, while a group of skaters stood around and watched him admiringly. He had already carried a reputation as a fancy skater. He liked to do his skating when there was a crowd around to watch him. He skated about with his arms folded behind his back and a "see how easy this is!" expression on his face.

"Now I'm going to do some figure eights," he announced, and proceeded to do them, amid "ohs" and "ahs."

"I'll teach you a few," he offered to Boyd Burton, a boy of his own age who often came out to the park to skate with him.

"Thanks," said Boyd briefly, "but I'd rather just skate. I guess I wasn't cut out for the fancy stuff."

"Do as you like," replied Earl, as he skated off backwards.

February was drawing near, and that was the time of the amateur races. Every one who skated in that park was talking about them. Earl had never raced before, but he decided he would try this time. He proceeded to start training by spending all of his spare time on the ice, doing new fancy figures which made those who watched him catch their breath with surprise. Boyd went out with him to hang along, but he would skate off by himself, away from the crowd.

At last the race day came. Crowds lined the shore of the lagoon. Earl's brightly polished skates gleamed in the sunshine as he took his place on the starting line. The starter's gun announced that the race had begun. It was not long till the winner crossed the finish line.

How he had happened to become winded so soon, Earl could not understand. He was a bit dazed when Boyd came gliding up to him to show him his newly won medal. "You might be a good skater, Earl," said Boyd quietly, "but you waste your time and strength in fancy skating. I'll teach you how to skate if you like. Maybe that sounds rather mean, but—but I just couldn't help rubbing it in."

TODAY'S PUZZLE

Behead a word meaning a small kernel, and leave something that falls from the sky.

Curtail a word meaning to grumble and leave a word meaning to sprout up.

Answer to yesterday's: Dirt, trial, lake, ear, team, mad.

Answer to today's: G-rain, grow-l, side."

A Dark Secret

Vic: "What does the night do when it falls?"

Dick: "Keeps it dark, of course."

"THE CLEW OF THE SPOTTED DOG"

How a Well-Trained Dog With Yellow Spots Aided in Solving the Mystery of the Lost Jewels

"About four years ago," began Mr. O'Day, veteran detective, "a prominent actress—I'll call her Miss Alan and give the other characters of this story fictitious names—Miss Alan stepped from a cab in State street, Chicago, and as she did so a handbag slipped from her lap, unnoticed by her, and dropped to the gutter. She entered a hair-dresser's. The cab moved away.

"Two women, one leading a small, yellow-spotted dog on a chain, were passing. They saw the bag fall. As the cab pulled away, one of the girls picked the bag up. They whispered together. Then, with a smile, one of them entered the hair-dressing establishment which they had seen Miss Alan go into. The girl carried the bag with her. The other woman waited on the street and amused herself by commanding the spotted dog to do tricks.

Companion Returns

"When the other girl returned to the sidewalk a few moments later, without the bag which apparently had been returned to Miss Alan, the two walked on with the dog.

"It was but a few moments later that Miss Alan rushed excitedly out of the hair-dresser's. She had discovered the loss of her bag. It had not been returned to her.

"This was the beginning of the short-lived mystery of the missing Alan jewels, which were far-famed as being one of the most precious collections on the stage.

"The first clew obtained by detectives was given by a man who had seen the two girls pick up the bag. He casually mentioned that they had led an unusually well-trained yellow-spotted dog with them on a chain.

"An unusually well-trained dog—who would be likely to have one? Perhaps the owner of a vaudeville animal act. So all places in the city frequented by theatrical people, were 'covered'.

A 'Phone Call

"In response to the announcement of a $1,000 reward for the return, or information leading to the return of the jewels, our office received a 'phone call about 9 o'clock Saturday night—the less occurred on Friday afternoon—from a man who said a young fellow had approached him that afternoon and attempted to sell to him for four hundred dollars a necklace that answered the description of the one Miss Alan had had in her handbag. He knew the young man and offered to lead detectives to his rooming house.

"We found the young fellow's room deserted.

"At about three o'clock the following morning—Sunday morning—two of our men saw the young man staggering along under the influence of liquor. They stopped and searched him. One small pearl, known to be a part of Miss Alan's collection, was found in his vest pocket.

"At the police station he claimed that Saturday morning a lady friend had given him some jewels to dispose of. This girl, he said, in company with a Mrs. Olson, who, he said, was part owner of a vaudeville animal act, had found the jewels, and had 'split.'

Detectives to Olson's

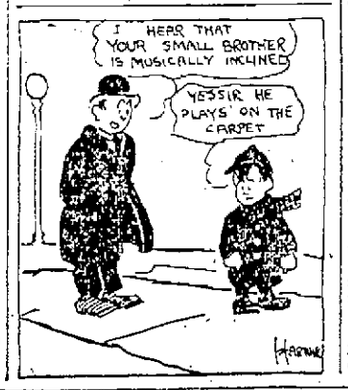
"We soon learned where this Mrs. Olson lived. We found the house deserted. Appearances pointed to a hasty exit. Despite the early hour neighbors quickly gathered about, and one women said she had seen an expressman who lived near by, haul several trunks from the Olson place, and that Mrs. Olson with her husband and a dog, had left late that evening.

"When we routed out the sleepy expressman he told us the Olson trunks had been shipped Saturday night to Cincinnati. The train would reach Cincinnati that Sunday morning.

"Cincinnati police were notified. When the Olsons with the spotted dog, stepped from the train, they were placed under arrest.

"A count of the jewels found in the possession of Mrs. Olson, and those recovered from Chicago pawn shops showed that but seven small diamonds were missing.

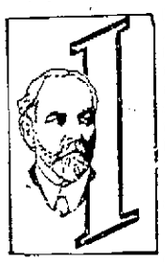
"And that," concluded Mr. O'Day, "is how the bulk of the famous Alan jewels were recovered with the aid of the dog with yellow spots."



Parables of Safed the Sage

THE FEELING OF RICHESS

BY DR. WILLIAM E. BARTON



I RODE upon a Train. And I wakened in the morning and found myself Refreshed. And I spake unto the Porter, and said unto him, How dost thou feel this fine morning? And he answered me saying:

"Ah feels back a man dat's got Money. No sah. Ah don't have no Money—hardwise not much. Ah jis' michally feels back Ah has it. Ah could have money of Ah didn't have to eat and to wah clothes; but of Ah didn't have to do dem things, money wouldn't be no good nohow. So Ah don't feel bad about wahin' de clothes and eatin' de food; but on de contrary Ah kinder enjoys it.

"An' dat's de way de money goes, an' hit kin go. Dey gits de money away from me for de food and the clothes, but dey kain't take away de feelin'. Ah still has dat. No, sah, hit ain't necessary fo' a man to have money (to have de feelin' of havin' it; and hit ain't necessary for a man to have de feelin' when he has de cash.

"A man mout have de money and feel pore and den he shore would be pore, an' for dat feelin', of bein' pore dey ain't no remedy.

"But on de contrary a man mout have de feelin' of bein' rich when he didn't have no money, and den he would be rich widdout it and even de gettin' of money couldn't make dat man pore.

"Hit's a fine mawnin', an' de train is on time, an' my gal lives at dis end of de line and I'se happy."

And I spake unto him, saying, No poverty of worldly goods can ever make thee poor; for thou art a philosopher. And behold, no wealth can spoil thee. Therefore shalt thou have wealth. For I had intended to give unto thee the fourth part of a shekel; but thou art a wise man, and I will give thee twice as much. For unto a man who hath wealth within his soul, unto him should wealth be entrusted.



Elmer Moots says ther's lots o' things in th' stores he'd like t' have if they'd settle down an' keep house. Th' difference between a world war an' a legal battle is that th' newspaper readers have t' wear th' gas masks.

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U. S. Bonds and Certificates of indebtedness	671,350.00
Other Bonds	413,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	22,500.00
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	25,000.00
Banking House	75,000.00
Cash Resources	952,873.23
Total	$5,792,279.12

LIABILITIES

Capital	$ 500,000.00
Surplus	250,000.00
Undivided Profits	171,391.27
Circulation	500,000.00
Deposits	4,370,887.85
Total	$5,792,279.12

MISS NORMAND SUPPORTED BY NOTED PLAYERS

Mack Sennett Selects Hand-Picked Cast to Portray the Roles in "Molly O"

Seldom has a star been surrounded by a more congenial cast than that engaged to support Mabel Normand by Mack Sennett in his production of "Molly O," the First National attraction which will be the feature at the Rivoli theater four days, beginning Sunday. Two factors entered into the selection of the actors and actresses who appear in the more important roles—the prime one of course being their ability to portray the role, but secondarily their temperament was given careful consideration.

Mr. Sennett was embarking upon the attainment of an ideal when he put "Molly O" on the production schedule of his studio. Mabel Normand to play the title role and E. Richard Jones to direct were the two people he regarded as essential to the production, and he was certain of the fact that they were congenial, for they had worked in the same capacity on "Mickey." With these two procured, the casting was started with the one idea to get talent and ability that would assure the smoothness of the production. Mr. Sennett intended to make certain that no "temperamental" would lessen the effects of any of the scenes.

Accordingly a list was compiled which contained the names of several actors and actresses who had the ability to play the parts. Three or more players were put on this list for each role in "Molly O." The studio records of each one were carefully scanned, and every other thing in connection with their careers indicative of their temperament was given careful weight. The personal preference of Miss Normand and Mr. Jones were both consulted and then the player who stood highest on all counts was selected for the role.

By this process it fell to Jack Mulhall to be chosen for the leading male role to play opposite Miss Normand. Youth and intelligence, good looks and mental weight, in addition to histrionic ability were deemed essential of Mulhall's role, which is that of a young physician who, though he inherits millions, is unspoiled and dedicates his life to science and humanity.

Jacqueline Logan appears in the role of an entirely new style of "vamp" in portraying the part of the young woman whose engagement to the doctor is one of many obstacles in the course of true love in the life of Molly O. The type is one that is known universally, that of a refined young woman, who has many other reasons other than love for deciding upon a certain man as her husband.

A subtle, suave, gentlemanly crook has an important part in the story, and this part has been entrusted to Ben Deely, who has created many finely shaded characterizations for the Sennett organization.

For the role of Molly O's brother, a weakling, not incorrigibly bad, Albert Hackett was selected. In the roles of her father and mother appear George Nichols and Mrs. Anna Hernandez.

One of the cleverest characterizations in the entire production was entrusted to Eddie Gribbon. He plays the role of the suitor of Molly O and provides much of the comedy and humor of the production by his misdirected sincerity.

Perhaps the high quality of the entire cast is best exemplified by the fact that Frank Bond appears as the master of ceremonies at the grand ball, which is one of the most lavish as well as important in the development of the story.

Mr. Bond is probably one of the best known "speakie" actors to turn to the screen. He was leading man to Robert Edeson in "Strongheart," and for several years was a producer for Henry B. Harris and acted as director for Elsie Ferguson during the zenith of her career on the "speakie" stage.

Many "extras" were employed in various parts of the production, and in the ball room scene two thousand were used. The same care in the selection and costuming of this small army of people was exercised as that accorded the principals.

PROM DANCERS ARE BARRED FROM OFFICE OF STATE DRY AGENT

MADISON, Wis.—"There will be no dancing at Prom time in the offices of the state prohibition commissioner. So declares Commissioner W. Stanley Smith who refuses to let the university students use his office that night because of the large number of records and evidence stored there.

"With all our records and private letters in open filing cases I cannot well allow the university students with their outside guests to use this office," said Mr. Smith on Saturday. "Besides that we have a little vault here and we cannot lose any of our 'evidence.'"

FURNISHES OBJECT LESSON AGAINST USE OF RUBBER COLLARS

BERLIN.—A bearded passenger on a Berlin street car was severly burned Friday when a man nearby accidentally touched his celluloid collar with a lighted cigar. His beard, eye, brows, and hair were burned off and his clothing set afire. Several passengers suffered slight burns.

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Mabel Normand in Mack Sennett's "Molly O."

In The MOVIES

YE THEATERS TODAY

Majestic—Orpheum Vaudeville, Roy Kerstedt orchestra; Mary Carr in "The Thunderclap."

Rivoli—De Mar Quartet in complete change of program; Charles Ray in "Two Minutes to Go"; Topperville comedy, "The Skipper's Flirtations."

Riviera—"La Crosse Folks in Movies"; William Russell in "Colorado Pluck"; Snooky comedy; Riviera orchestra.

Casino—Anna Q. Nilsson in "Why Girls Leave Home"; Al St. John in "The Simp"; twelfth episode, "Hurricane Hutch."

Casino—James Oliver Curwood's story, "The Girl From Porcupine"; Paramount comedy, "Cleaning Up."

CHARLES RAY — Rivoli

Charles Ray's agility and athletic ability have helped to make him one of the most popular stars of the American screen today.

In the past he has proven more than once that he is an adept in the "manly art of self defense." "Scrap Iron," in which he participated in a prizefight, was a recent outstanding example.

But never has his athletic prowess been more graphically demonstrated than in "Two Minutes to Go," which is showing at the Rivoli Theater this week.

"In "Two Minutes to Go" there is an exciting football team and Charlie Ray, as the hero of that game, is a fine smasher of the first glass. It is his playing that decides the crucial game of the year in favor of his college team.

Real college football players appear in the two opposing teams, and a genuine game is played.

The final result on the screen is said to be both realistic and thrilling.

In his college days Ray was a football player of no mean ability and his early experience has served him well, judging from his splendid exhibition in "Two Minutes to Go."

"Two Minutes to Go" is a lively story of college life by Richard Andre and provides Ray with one of the best vehicles he has yet been given.

Mary Anderson appears in the leading role.

"THUNDERCLAP"—MAJESTIC

The question of "who is the star" in "Thunderclap," now at the Majestic is answered in the brief announcement: "There are eleven artists in the cast of 'Thunderclap,' and each is a star."

In addition to the assemblage of one of the strongest casts ever assembled for the making of a picture, there is added interest in the fact that neither time nor expense was spared in making certain there should be no make-believe or imitation in "Thunderclap." The result is an unbroken panorama of thrills, smiles and sighs—a smooth running story in which action speaks louder than captions and which commands undivided interest and attention from the introduction of the first character until the completion of a surprising but none-the less captivating climax.

"Thunderclap" deals with the eventful experiences of a young girl fresh from a convent and who, to her horror, finds that her step-father is the proprietor of a gambling establishment. A thrilling horse race proves an important event in the life of the girl—whose devotion to an invalid mother is but an added charm to a beautiful love story.

"WHY GIRLS LEAVE HOME"—STRAND

"If all fathers would be pals to their daughters and thereby learn their problems, few girls would ever want to leave their homes," Claude King, who plays the part of the aristocratic father in "Why Girls Leave Home," from the stage success of the same name, and showing for the last times today at the Strand, made known his suggestion for curbing the disappearance of thousands of girls every year. Mr. King proves his argument by making a pal of his dance-crazed daughter, (in the picture) and thereby saves her from a wolf in sheep's clothing. His stage and screen career have served to make him an unusually brilliant actor, and he reveals his histrionic ability to perfection in "Why Girls Leave Home." He appeared opposite Ethel Barrymore in the stage play entitled, "Declasse."

"GIRL FROM PORCUPINE"—CASINO

What is said to be one of the greatest screen efforts of James Oliver Curwood will be shown for the last times today at the Casino when "The Girl From Porcupine" is shown. James Oliver Curwood has long been recognized as a master of fiction, dealing with the great North Woods, and in "The Girl From Porcupine" he has surpassed all his previous efforts. The story is rich in incident, with a strong love theme running through it showing the development of the young girl, Hope Dugan, played by Faire Binney, into a radiant and triumphant womanhood, under a stress of circumstances fit to try the stoutest heart. The story is laid in the little town of Porcupine, a gold-mining camp in the Canadian Northwest, with a number of incidents taking place in and about a fashionable boarding school near New York City.

$200,000,000 IN LOANS O. K.'D BY WAR BOARD IN 1921

WASHINGTON.—Loans aggregating nearly $200,000,000 were approved by the war finance corporation during the year just ended, according to a summary of the organization's activities issued Friday by Eugene Meyer, Jr., managing director.

Of the total advances made by the corporation during the year $145,082,639 was for agricultural and livestock purposes and $50,946,875 was to assist in financing exports.

NEWBERRY TO TAKE THE FLOOR IN OWN DEFENSE MONDAY

WASHINGTON. — Definite announcement that Senator Newberry of Michigan would address the senate on Monday to answer charges that he should be ousted was made late Friday by Chairman Spencer of the elections committee.

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TOONERVILLE COMEDY

"JAZZ" CLOTHES FOR MEN ON DISPLAY AT CHICAGO STYLE SHOW

NEW YORK.—Clothes, set to music, especially created for young men who can't resist the lure of the jazz, are on exhibition at the convention of the American Designers' association now in progress here.

High waists, braids, and satin pipings are outstanding attractions of the new garments, the genius of the designer apparently having been concentrated on the effort to fashion them in keeping with gaiety and frivolity of the dance.

The coat is natty and is calculated to hypnotize the most exacting of the light footed who revel in jazz. The artificial waist is three inches above normal. Three buttons, close together adorn the upper part of the coat just above the chest line, the pockets are fancy and high and trimmed with braid and the cuffs are narrow turn backs. The backs of the coats have inverted plaits finished with a silk crow-foot. Colors are black, blue, and dark brown.

FIND TRACES OF MISSING CASHIER OF ST. LOUIS BANK

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—A. O. Meininger, missing cashier of the Night and Day bank here, which closed Friday when the state director of finance J. G. Hughes took charge of the bank, due to an apparent shortage of $260,000, was seen in St. Charles between ten o'clock Wednesday morning and two o'clock Thursday afternoon, according to John Grother, chief deputy sheriff of St. Charles county. An automobile abandoned by Meininger at that place is being held by him.

Cashier Meininger's peculations from the bank's funds probably covered a period of years, according to Mr. Hughes, who said the examiners found that no large sums had been taken from the bank at any one time. The only statement given out by Mr. Hughes was that he believed the $150,000 capital and the $94,000 surplus was believed wiped out. Hughes branded as "unauthorized" a report circulated here than the bank was insolvent to the extent of $500,000.

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POPOCATEPETL PEAK RESUMES ACTIVITY VILLAGERS FLEEING

MEXICO CITY.—By The Associated Press. The volcano Popocatepetl, southeast of this city, again began to show serious signs of activity Thursday afternoon. At four o'clock an explosion was heard within the crater. The inhabitants of villages near the base of the mountains were panic stricken and fled toward the large towns farther away from the volcano. No earth shock has been registered.

Popocatepetl has been active intermittently for the past three months, each eruption being of greater violence than the one preceding it. The villagers at the foot of the mountain have fled from their homes several times, fearing a catastrophe.

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LANDIS AND MAJOR LEAGUE CHIEFS TO MEET IN CHICAGO

Draft to be Discussed; Nature of Other Business Not Divulged

DRAFT PLAN OF TEARNEY TO BE CONSIDERED IN MEET

One of Clauses of Proposal is to Eliminate "Farm"

CHICAGO — New ways in which to conduct the affairs of organized baseball may be cooked up here Saturday when Judge K. M. Landis, commissioner, meets Ban Johnson, American league head, and John Heydler, National chief in a special session. Announcement of the conference was made Friday but outside of the fact that the draft question will be taken up, the nature of the business on the fire was not divulged.

The draft discussion will bring up the plan recently submitted to Judge Landis by Al Tearney, head of the Three Eyes and Western leagues, two of the five minors which now do not recognize the right of the majors to select players each fall. Tearney offered his plan as one that probably would be acceptable to all the "hold-out" minors, but it is so radical in some respects that the majors may want it altered considerably before giving it serious consideration.

Plans to Eliminate "Farm."

One of the clauses in Tearney's proposal would eliminate the "farm." This is possible by making the majors, when sending a drafted or purchased player out under option, offer the player first to class AA clubs, then to class A, and so on down the line until the athlete is claimed. This would prevent a major club from loading up a minor team owned by that particular major and would assure the player of company in keeping with his ability.

Another one of Tearney's suggestions that may stagger the majors is that covering college players and kids picked up in the semi-pro ranks. He asks that whenever a big league club is unable to use a player without minor league experience the player must be awarded unconditionally to a small league, starting with class AA as in the case of a drafted or purchased player. This would prevent a major club from "farming out" a youngster for development.

White Sox Open at Home

Heydler arrived here Friday from French Lick, Ind. and announced that the opening card for the National circuit would be Chicago at Cincinnati, Brooklyn at New York, Boston at Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh at St. Louis. From French Lick, where Ban Johnson spent yesterday, came word that the openers in the American league would be St. Louis at Chicago, Detroit at Cleveland, New York at Washington, and Philadelphia at Boston.

The fact that Hank O'Day's retirement from an umpiring role in the National had been breezing around for the last ten days was more or less of a surprise to Heydler. He said he had no request for a release from the veteran arbiter, who is reported anxious to hook up in the Pacific Coast league.

BAN ANNOUNCES OPENING GAMES OF AMERICAN LEAGUE

FRENCH LICK, Ind.—Announcement of opening games of the American league baseball schedule was made here Friday by President Ban Johnson. The season will open April 12 with the following games:

St. Louis at Chicago.
Detroit at Cleveland.
New York at Washington.
Philadelphia at Boston.

The season closes on the same date as the National, Sunday Oct 1.

CITY JOB OFFERED TO MAN WHO HAS BIGGEST FAMILY

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Mayor James A. Oles Friday offered a job at $100 a month with rent free and garden space to the Youngstown man who has the largest family of children. The place is that of guard at the city's reservoir.

Oles Friday advised all city employes, however, to be economical because it doesn't look as if you'll get any pay for a while."

Collection of taxes has been held up because a recent revaluation is in litigation and so far Oles has made no move to borrow money in anticipation of taxes for the city's running expenses.

SPECIAL CHEF FOR THE CUB TEAM

CHICAGO, Ill.—When the Cubs are frisking around on Catalina island this spring the athletes will have no occasion to howl about their "feed." They will get clean, wholesome food daily, and it will be prepared by a chef engaged especially to look after the interests of the players. This announcement wasm ade yesterday by William Veeck, Cub president, who in his days as a scribe saw enough of spring camp menus to know that things are not always as they should be.

BABIES BURN TO DEATH

CHICAGO, Ill. — Five-year-old Sophia Gurlaeski and her six months old sister were burned to death as they slept in a cradle Friday when the Gurlaeski cottage burned to the ground while their mother had gone to a nearby grocery. Florian, aged 3, was rescued by his mother when she returned and found the home in flames.

BASKETBALL SEASON OF WESTERN CONFERENCE TO OPEN WITH SIX CONTESTS

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Western Conference basketball season will open tonight with six "Big Ten" quintets in action. The schedule calls for Ohio State vs. Chicago at Chicago; Northwestern vs. Minnesota at Minneapolis, and Wisconsin vs. Iowa at Iowa City.

Northwestern is expected to be returned the winner over Minnesota. Chicago has only showed flashes of form in the early contests and suffered defeat at the hands of Knox and Colgate.

Ohio won most of its practice games and defeated Yale 23 to 15.

Iowa and Wisconsin promise much action when they clash. Although Knox defeated Chicago the Hawkeyes bested the down-state college by a one-sided score. Wisconsin also has had little trouble in winning its games.

RED AND BLACK TO MEET EX-STARS IN HIXON GYM TONIGHT

Former High School Players to Stage Comeback Against Keegan's Men

Red and Black Tossers will meet the Alumni tonight. This is the first game on the schedule for La Crosse, although they have played several practice games to get in trim. Tuesday afternoon Keegan's men held serious sage with a 'bunch' from the Normal school, and defeated them by a large score. Thursday night the locals were victorious over the Onalaska High quintet. A very snappy game is predicted with the Alumni tonight, as Keegan's 'gang' have greatly improved since the Galesville game both in team work and shooting. The Alumni quintet will be composed of the following High graduates: "Moonie" Vandrashek, George Reay, "Heh" Bogel, Carrol and Edgar Stokke, Clemet and "Ray" Moran. This lineup ought to furnish sufficient competition for the Red and Blacks.

In the World of Sport

FORT WORTH, Texas.—"Ro" McMillin's Kentuckians defeated the Fort Worth All-Stars, 7 to 0.

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SAN FRANCISCO.—Jock Hutchinson of Chicago and E. Traub of San Francisco were tied for first place with a score of 153 at the end of the first 36 holes in the North Carolina open golf championship tournament.

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ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Michigan defeated the Michigan Aggies at basketball, 27 to 26.

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DES MOINES, Iowa.—Missouri university defeated Drake at basketball.

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DULUTH, Minn.—Johnny Myers of Chicago defeated Henry Karbunsaari of Virginia, Minn., in straight falls.

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OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—Harvey Thorp of Kansas City and Warnie Smith of Bartlesville went ten rounds to a draw.

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WICHITA, Kan.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis threw Dick Daviscourt of Texas in two straight falls.

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HOUSTON, Texas.—Pal Moran of New Orleans outpointed Willie Doyle of New York in ten rounds.

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PORTLAND, Ore.—Harry Wills and Bill Tate of Chicago, negro heavyweights, fought a ten round draw.

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MILWAUKEE, Wis. — Johnny Layton, world's three-cushion billiard champion, won from Augie Kiekhefer, 180 to 167.

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DULUTH, Minn.—Duluth defeated the Nationals of Winnipeg at hockey, 5 to 1.

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LAFAYETTE, Ind.—Purdue defeated Camp Benning, Georgia, at basketball.

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MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Earl Stoner of Detroit, Minn., a veteran of the University of Minnesota, wrestling team, last night was elected captain of the 1922 Gopher mat squad. He is a senior in the agricultural college.

ATTEMPTED LEAP OF BURCH IS BLOCKED BY JAIL ATTENDANT

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—When Arthur C. Burch was taken from his cell at the county jail Friday to go to the court room where he is on trial charged with murder of J. Belton Kennedy, he either slipped or tried to jump through the railing around the jail corridor to the steel floor about thirty feet below.

A deputy sheriff was escorting Burch to the jail office to turn him over to the court deputies. The officer said Burch had deliberately tried to leap over the railing but was prevented by a grip on his arm. Burch said he stumbled accidentally.

Numerous prisoners who saw the occurrence expressed the belief that Burch had tried to leap. A fall such as was narrowly escaped would probably result in serious injury or death, jailers said.

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CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Ed. Horn wrested the high alley record for single score from M. J. Lyon by one point Friday evening. Horn rolled 279 in the first game against the Hotel La Crosse, who won two out of three from the Maders. Paulson hung up a total of 668 for three games.

The La Crosse club 60's won two out of three from the Shirven clothiers, while the Krauses and Arenz Shoes won two each from the South Paws and Collegians. The scores:

HOTEL LA CROSSE

Hunt	168	158	222
Paulson	202	248	218
Williams	159	220	158
Miller	207	117	278
Handicap	17	27	11
Totals	753	806	828

MADERS

Scherrer	137	144	165
Geo. Horn	151	154	168
Ed. Horn	279	189	204
Panke	158	130	172
Handicap	32	61	18
Totals	737	687	729

LA CROSSE CLUB 60'S

Burns	136	154	178
Gatterdam	189	155	180
Miller	175	171	195
Ott	182	170	201
Handicap	7	34	9
Totals	730	684	764

SHIRVEN CLO. CO.

Kohn	166	189	197
Christopherson	177	179	184
Shirven	202	139	201
Aldrich	165	172	167
Handicap	20	29	6
Totals	720	699	755

KRAUSES

Meyers	164	207	192
Spoonick	167	180	157
Hanson	163	164	176
Larson	164	142	149
Handicap	58	27	22
Totals	659	720	686

SOUTH PAWS

Voight	185	203	147
Abnet	168	115	121
Ford	179	147	162
Torrance	172	122	
Bolleud			165
Handicap	20	56	54
Totals	701	643	645

COLLEGIANS

Knutson	151	188	154
Osweiler	222	147	153
Burke	149	113	181
Wittenberg	169	174	184
Handicap	31	39	21
Totals	722	661	703

ARENZ SHOES

Dockendorff	140	158	178
Kotnour	127	212	183
Erickson	183	187	181
Wittinger	112	185	181
Handicap	60	11	1
Totals	622	761	724

HOW THEY STAND

Elks League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Dark Horses	36	12	.750
Rompers	33	15	.729
Pioneers	29	16	.644
Wuzzers	30	18	.625
Buckhorns	27	18	.600
Soft Spots	23	20	.524
Antlers	23	21	.511
Hustlers	23	25	.489
Pickups	20	25	.476
Knockouts	20	25	.455
Crowns	20	25	.444
Maplelites	21	27	.438
Blowups	21	27	.438
Strikers	17	27	.354
Spares	16	32	.333
Bedmakers	9	33	.214

City League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hotel La Crosse	35	7	.841
Mader Clo. Co.	24	11	.756
Arenz Shoes	24	21	.533
Shirven Clo. Co.	20	25	.444
Krause Clo. Co.	20	25	.444
La Crosse Club 60's	19	26	.422
South Paws	15	30	.333
Collegians	10	33	.233

Commercial League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Montagues	33	15	.711
National Gauge	32	16	.711
Tribune	30	15	.667
Stamping and Tool	27	18	.600
Big Jo's	23	23	.511
Tar-Harts	14	31	.311
Weavers	11	34	.244
Auto Supply	11	34	.244

Fraternal League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
B. P. O. E.	31	8	.795
K. of P.	28	16	.762
D. O. K. K.	25	15	.648
B. P. O. S.	21	21	.500
Eagles	19	20	.487
Rotary	15	24	.385
Kiwanis	15	25	.375
Low Twelve	15	21	.366

Different Methods

Elsie—"My mamma got a nice present yesterday an' she frew her arms around papa's neck. What does your mamma do when she gets a nice present?"

Eddie—"She tells daddy she'll forgive him, but he mustn't stay out late again."—Boston Transcript.

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LA CROSSE CURLERS OPEN SEASON WITH GALESVILLE RINK

Local Men Defeated in Both Morning and Afternoon Games, 8-4; 9-17

MARSHALL AND CONE MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE IN GAME

La Crosse Expected to be Represented in Burns' Anniversary

La Crosse curlers opened the season at Galesville this week in two games with the famous stone-shooters of that city, the locals losing both the forenoon and afternoon contests. The score of the first was 8 to 4 and the second 9 to 17.

Two new curling enthusiasts of the city were introduced into the games at Galesville, Dr. Harry Marshall and Charles Cone making their first appearance in this kind of competition. Both are intensely interested in the sport and indications are that they will develop into crack shots with additional experience. The other members of the rink were A. A. Dusty, skip, and Gene Hunt.

La Crosse curlers expect to participate in the Burn's anniversary event at Galesville on January 21. Two rinks will be recruited for the event. Harry Watkins intends calling a meeting soon of all curling enthusiasts in the city in order to get lined up before the winter carnival. It is urged that those interested in the game will get out for the practice games to be called.

CHRIST CHURCH TO HOLD ITS ANNUAL MEETING THURSDAY

The annual meeting of Christ church will be held Thursdy evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 p. m., followed by a business meeting at which officers will be elected and others affairs transacted.

City Briefs

Dance, Yeomen hall tonight. Sun. Texas Jazz bandits best of all, none better. No dance Tue. Wrixson's steam boat Capitol orchestra, Wed.

Special Brick Ice Cream Sunday. Gibson's Tutti Fruitti at your dealers at the right price.

E. E. Lofte, in the plumbing and heating business at Mondovi has filed a petition in bankruptcy with Clerk of the United States Court Alfred Harrison.

Chicken Sandwiches at the Empire.

Miss Elizabeth Groeshner is home after spending the holidays with her sister and family.

Dr. Watterson, painless dentist, fills and extracts teeth without pain.

Ice fishermen report a rise of over two feet in the river here during the past week. The flooding of the ice resulted in the freezing in of a number of fish houses.

Funeral Sprays, Designs, Mercalf's.

Chris Salley of Bangor called on friends yesterday.

Linker Electric Co. can take care of your storage battery for the winter. Phone 398.

The first heavy fall of snow has brought out the ski runners during the past two days, and hills beyond the country club attracted a number of skiers today.

Deposits Made on or before January 10th draw interest from January 1st at Batavian National Bank.

Knitted hats and turbans $1.25 to $2.50. Swenson's Millinery, 621 So. 4. Just the thing for out door sports.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bistow and family returned from West Salem where they attended the funeral of the latter's father, Henry Rickmann.

Keno dance. What is Keno? At Concordia Sat. Jan. 7. Music by Stallz-Light lunches. Elite and Iris.

man Society Players, Jazzy Artists and Real Entertainers. Given by Employees of La Crosse Rubber Mills.

Miss Susan Wotherspoon of Ironwood, Mich., is here for a month's stay at her home, 927 Avon street.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. Hours 10 to 4, except Sat.

Lucky Spot Dance. Prizes given away by Clark's Ragadours at Armory Hall to-night and Sunday.

Peter Syverson, charged with a statutory offense in county court, has not been actively identified as a singer with any church choir in the city for a year or more, a pastor of a church where he formerly sang said today.

Special Brick Ice Cream Sunday. Gibson's Tutti Fruitti at your dealers at the right price.

Try our delicious lunches. Elite and Iris.

An application for a marriage license has been made at the office of the county clerk by Sigurd T. Bakke of La Crosse, and Mathilda Faas of Onalaska.

Sunday Special Brick "Strawberry de luxe." A two-layer brick of crushed strawberries and vanilla ice cream. You will find it of superior quality. At your dealers. Tri-State Ice Cream Corp.

Your plumbing troubles promptly attended to. W. F. Schram, Phone 16.

Miss Marie Saley has returned to her home in Bangor after spending the holidays with relatives here.

Absolutely Fresh! Beaker eggs. 15c a dozen, checked eggs, 30c a dozen. Miller Rose Co., Front street near wagon bridge.

Mrs. Earl Scholl, manager of the Ladies' Shop, will leave Sunday morning for New York, where she will purchase merchandise for the opening season.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilberg have returned home after spending the holidays with relatives at Bangor and Rockland.

Russell H. Lavold, Plumbing and Heating Contractor, I have moved my place of business from 624 South 3rd street to 1024 South Ninth street. Call 2241-M. All work promptly attended to.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morris left for California on a western and southern trip which will occupy two months.

Safety razor blades sharpened at Buerner's Drug Store, 3rd and Main.

Baggage transferred by Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179 before 6 p. m.

Miss Nellie Wotherspoon entertained at a dinner in honor of her sister, Susan, of Ironwood, Mich.

Some of the modern hair styles were in vogue 400 years ago in England.

First negro slaves in America came with a Spanish expedition in 1528.

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OTTO H. MUELLER DROPS DEAD IN RAILROAD YARDS

La Crosse Fireman Expires Suddenly in Southeastern Terminal at Viroqua

Otto Herman Mueller, 1013 Green Bay street, dropped dead in the yards of the La Crosse and South Eastern railroad at Viroqua, Friday at 11 a. m.

Mr. Mueller was a fireman on the C, B, and Q railroad and was helping out on the La Crosse and South Eastern. He went to work in the morning feeling as well as usual. Mr. Mueller was a member of The Fraternal Order of Eagles, Lodge No. 1251 of La Crosse, also of the Brotherhood of railroad Firemen.

He leaves a wife and on daughter aged one month; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mueller of 1025 Green Bay street, one brother and three sisters, William Mueller, La Crosse; Mrs. John Bartel, La Crosse; Mrs. Frank Zelers, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Charles Rogers, Las Vegas, Nev.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at the home of his parents 1025 Green Bay street at Two o'clock and at two-thirty at The German Luthern church corner West avenue and Cameron Avenue, Rev. Julius T. Gamm will officiate. Interment will be in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

DANCING SOCIAL AT ELKS' NOT TO BE HELD TONIGHT

The Miss Rothman dancing social scheduled to be held at the Elks' hall tonight has been postponed until January 14, according to announcement made today.

NEW GOVERNMENT FOR RUSSIA SEEN BY COUNT TOLSTOY

(Continued from page one)

ammunition, and to go for days at a time without food. He said that during the first two and a half years of the war Russia lost more men, killed and crippled, than all the rest of the allies did in five years of fighting.

In speaking of bolshevism, Count Tolstoy said, "War is the greatest evil of mankind. It is a crime against humanity, and combined evil and crime cannot result in good. Bolshevism is worse than international war because it means civil war and the destruction of the nation by the people of the nation." He went on to tell of how bolshevism had resulted in the shutting down of eighty per cent of Russia's factories, the railroads were ruined and industry completely destroyed. He characterized the bolshevists as being sixty per cent fools, thirty-nine per cent rascals and thieves and one per cent republicists. He told of the decrease in the value of Russian money due to the mistaken economy policy of the bolsheviki, which resulted in an enormous increase in the cost of living. Though the working men under the present system are getting many times more in wages than formerly, nevertheless they are starving because their money has practically no purchasing power.

Death Rate Increased

The death rate in Russia has increased three times during the past few years, while the birth rate has had a corresponding decrease, while there are five times as many marriages performed now as formerly. This is due, declared the speaker, to the fact that marriage and divorce are easy in Russia.

The real cause of famine in Russia, according to the speaker, is not due to a failure of crops, but to the policy of the bolsheviki which compels farmers to give up all the surplus production of their farms. The peasants therefore raise only enough for their own use, which leaves the population in the cities and towns unprovided for.

Plan New Goverement

Because bolshevism is an acknowledged failure, the leaders are already planning a different sort of government. They are again allowing private ownership on a small scale, recalling owners of factories whose property they had confiscated and making concessions to foreign capital. Strength of arms and an elaborate spy system is all that holds the bolshevik goverument in power now, and it is only a question of a few months until they will be overthrown. Then, said Count Tolstoy, the world will see a great United States of Russia with a democratic form of government of, for and by the people.

After his address on Russia, Count Tolstoy gave a brief history of the life of his father, the noted Count Leo Tolstoy. He said that though his father may be forgotten as a novelist, he will never be forgotten as a moralist and philosopher, and that his work will be even more appreciated in two or three hundred years because mankind will have attained sufficient mental growth in that time to fully understand his teachings.

The proceeds of Count Tolstoy's lecture will be used by the Twentieth Century club to finance a high school scholarship. One student, who would not otherwise be able to attend school is supported each year by this scholarship, which amounts to $150 a year.

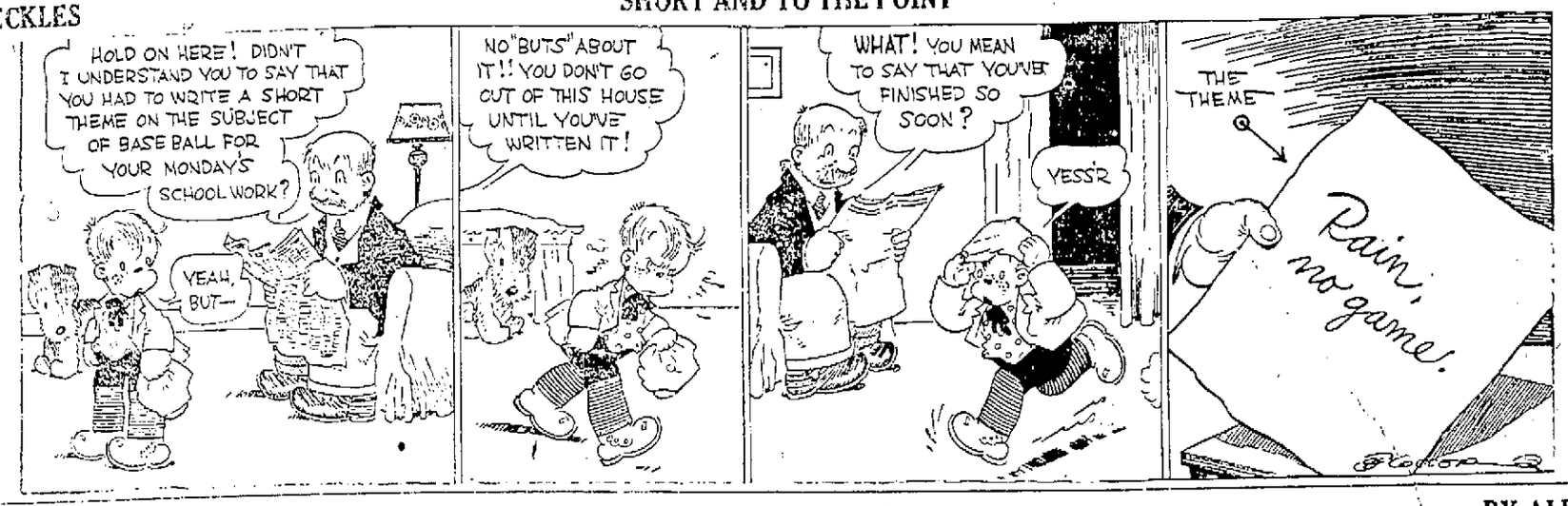
FISHER CASE TO JURY

KENOSHA, Wis.—The case of former District Attorney Fisher, Jr., of Kenosha county, charged with accepting a bribe, went to the jury just before eleven o'clock Saturday morning. The case was given to the jury after Judge Belden had denied a motion for a plea in bar and after a motion demanding that the testimony of Fisher before the grand jury be taken from the record.

There was wide speculation as to what the jury might do with the case, and it was expected that there would be long deliberation by the jurors.

SHORT AND TO THE POINT — BY BLOSSER

FRECKLES



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WOULD CUT DOWN SOCIAL ACTIVITIES AT U OF WISCONSIN

Fraternities and Sororities are Asked to Vote on Plan to Curtail Parties

MADISON, Wis.—Fraternities and sororities of the University of Wisconsin were asked to vote on proposals for curtailment of "excessive and unwise social activities," which the board of visitors of the institution declare exist, S. H. Goodnight, dean of men, announced today.

The board in a recent report said "There are too many social activities for the few students and not enough for the many," adding that "if some way can be found whereby excessive and expensive social activities for the few may be curtailed, and opportunity for wholesome social intercourse provided for the many, it would be a most desirable accomplishment."

Dean Goodnight is asking the local Greek Letter groups to decide whether they will unite to bring down the price of music charged by orchestras, to agree not to import orchestras, to abandon matinee dances and 5 o'clock parties, and to avoid all dances two weeks before final examinations.

Ballots for the voting are being distributed today.

CENTENARIAN DIES AT HOME OF HIS SON IN ROCKLAND

George W. Gaylord, aged 101 years, believed to be the oldest man in Wisconsin, died at the home of his son, L. A. Gaylord, in Rockland.

He was born April 7, 1820, at Pearysville, Catteraugus county, New York state. Was married to Hester Ann Mansel, January 17, 1848, at Willow Springs, La Fayette county, Wis. There were born eleven children (seven sons and four daughters) of whom nine are living, two sons and one daughter in Canada, one son and one daughter in Dakota, one daughter near Humbird, Wis., and three sons in and near Rockland.

The family moved from Mineral Point, Wis., to a farm near Rockland, 53 years ago, the old man spending much of the 53 years in this neighborhood. He served three years in the civil war. The aged wife died nearly a year ago at the age of 89 years.

WEATHER FOR THE WEEK

WASHINGTON.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday:

Region of Great Lakes, considerable cloudiness; local snows and normal temperature.

Upper Mississippi Valley, Snow or rain middle of week; otherwise fair with normal temperature.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR BURROUGHS AND THOMPSON DELAYED

The memorial exercises for the late James Thompson and the late W. S. Burroughs which were to have been held by the La Crosse County Bar association in circuit court Saturday have been postponed until next Saturday, Jan. 14, owing to the illness of George W. Bunge. The annual meeting and dinner of the bar association will be held on January 13.

LAWSON CO.'S SUIT AGAINST J. A. KOLLER DISMISSED BY COURT

Unable to Collect for Stock Contracted for But Not Paid Because of Agreement

The suit brought against Joseph A. Koller, by the Lawson Airplane company to collect payment on 50 shares of airplane company stock which Koller was alleged to have contracted for but for which he did not pay, was dismissed by Judge Higbee in circuit court. This is the second case brought by the Lawson company to collect on stock subscriptions. In the first case Peter Hofweber refused payment of a $4,750 note for stock. Hofweber declared that the note was not authorized. He was awarded a verdict by a jury.

Koller, in his defense, alleged that he subscribed and paid $500 for 50 shares of stock at $10 a share. He further alleges that Nic Streff, the salesman for the Lawson company, in his endeavor to sell him more stock, 100 shares was what Streff wanted Koller to buy, wrote on the duplicate of the contract these words: "Privilege granted to Mr. Koller to cancel unpaid subscription. Nic Streff."

The Lawson Airplane company claimed that this provisn was not written on the original of the contract which was sent to them. The court held that the duplicate contract was binding and ordered the case taken from the jury and dismissed.

Because all the jurors acting at the January term of court had either heard or been on one of the two juries in the two Lawson company cases, the court put over until the February term the case of the Lawson Airplane company against Ulrich W. Ellis, against whom the airplane company seeks to enforce a contract to buy stock, but who refused to pay, alleging misrepresentations by the stock salesman, Nic Streff.

The Lawson company has been represented by Fred H. Hartwell and Stanley Gordon and the defendants by Cowie & Hale.

Miss Ruth Brady, of Balboa, Panama canal zone, in a contest with 1,000 others was picked as the most beautiful girl.

SKOLOS, VICTIM OF BOOTLEGGER, FINED $100 BY HIGBEE

Farmer Who Ran Amuck With Auto in Main Street, Escapes Hunt's Jail Sentence

Albert Skolos, Vernon county farmer, was found guilty Friday by a jury in circuit court on a charge of driving his automobile while in an intoxicated condition, and was fined $100 by Judge Higbee. Skolos had been fined $100 and sentenced to 30 days in the county jail by Police Judge Hunt, Skolos had pleaded guilty to a charge similar to the one made in circuit court.

Judge Higbee, in fining Skolos, said that he did not wish to overrule the decision of Police Judge Hunt but that he felt sure that had Judge Hunt heard both sides of the case, there might not have been so much blame attached to Skolos. Skolos' plea of guilty when in police court, however, stopped any further testimony and the only testimony given was that of the police.

On August 22, Skolos brought his wife to a hospital here. After leaving his wife at the hospital, Skolos drove down town to have some repairs made to his auto. He left the car in the street and walked around for a few blocks to locate the garage. In his walk he met a bootlegger, a man whom he had never seen before or since, he testified, who gave him three drinks of moonshine. In a short time nearly everything became a blank to Skolos. When he got into his car again, he was scarcely able to drive it. He ran into a woman in Fourth street near Main, nearly ran down Traffic Policeman Bender at Fourth and Main streets and ended by driving into Christian Haas, a boy, who was riding a bicycle on Main street, throwing the boy to the ground, running over and breaking his leg.

Judge Higbee said that Skolos evidently was not a drinking man, nor did he come to La Crosse for a spree. However, he imposed the same fine that Judge Hunt had levied but which had not been paid because of the appeal taken by Skolos. Skolos also served several days of the jail sentence imposed by Judge Hunt, but Judge Higbee did not add a jail sentence to the fine.

The case was prosecuted for the city by City Attorney Swennes, A. E. Bleekman of this city and C. J. Smith of Viroqua defended Skolos.

REDUCE GAS RATES AT BEAVER DAM

MADISON, Wis.—Gas rates at Beaver Dam were reduced fifteen cents per 1,000 cubic feet Saturday by the railroad commission, which ordered a complete revision of the schedule of charges. Earnings of the company warranted the reduction, according to the commission.

WEST AVENUE RINK IS PARTLY CLEANED OPEN FOR TONIGHT

The West avenue skating rink, although but partly cleaned off, will be open to skaters Saturday night, according to announcement by George Ritter, park superintendent. An announcement about races scheduled to have been held at Pettibone lagoon, but which may be held at West avenue, will be made in Sundays' paper. The ice at the Jackson street park is reported to be in poor condition.

BUILDING TRADES TURN DOWN LANDIS AWARD IN CHICAGO

Council Makes Plans for Resumption of Building Deadlock of Last Summer

CHICAGO, Ill.—Business agents of the various unions of the building trades council met Saturday to complete plans for the resumption of the building deadlock of last summer following action of the council Friday night in voting in effect to reject the Landis wage awards.

All union men, with the exception of the bricklayers and electricians were to be called from all jobs upon which non-union men are working Monday. Strikes were called last Wednesday on four large construction jobs, the estimated cost of which is $4,500,000. These will be followed by strikes on additional construction work totaling more than $100,000,000.

Obituary

CHARLES AUSTIN JONES

Charles Austin Jones, 22 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, 508 North Tenth street, died Friday afternoon after an illness of a few hours with croup and bronchitis.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:45 from the residence and interment will be in the Onalaska cemetery.

MRS. HELEN APPLEBEE

The funeral of Mrs. Helen Applebee, wife of Charles Applebee, who died Thursday morning at 121½ Pearl street at the age of 22, will be held Monday morning at 9:30 from Tetley, Sletten and Dahl's mortuary.

The remains will be taken to Genoa for burial. She leaves a husband, one little daughter and her mother. Mrs. Applebee was born in Russia.

PETER KNUTSEN

Peter Knutsen, Stoddard, Wis., died at a local hospital Thursday, January 5. Mr. Knutsen was 62 years old and was a farmer in Coon Valley.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon in the Lower Coon Valley church. Interment will be made in the Coon Valley cemetery.

The Roosevelt Memorial association plans to erect a monument in Washington and to beautify a park at Oyster Bay.

OFFICIALS OF ZION CHURCH ACCUSED OF KIDNAPPING GIRL

Affidavit Charges Third Degree Methods are Being Used Against Prisoner

CHICAGO, Ill.—Officials of the Church of Zion at Zion City were charged with kidnaping and mistreating a 22-year-old girl to force her to confess that she had violated the church laws, in an affidavit made Saturday by the Rev. Thomas S. Nelson of the Anti-Zionist Grace mission.

In the affidavit it was charged that the girl, Miss Gertrude Manuelson, secretary to the Rev. S. F. De Vona, an apostle of Zion, is now held in custody undergoing "the worst kind of third degree" and that she "is bordering on madness from the mistreatment."

De Vona and his wife came to Zion City a year ago and later he engaged Miss Manuelson, said to be an Evanston girl, as his secretary. Four months ago he became an apostle to the Zionist church. At that time, he says, he refused to sign court documents at the behest of Wilbur Glenn Voliva, general overseer.

Recently, it is charged in affidavit, a church official ordered the seizure of Miss Manuelson and made certain allegations regarding her and De Vona.

TRI-STATE BOWLING TOURNAMENT STARTS OFF SUNDAY MORNING

The Tri-State bowling tournament will get under way at the Lotus alleys Sunday morning at 8:30 when four teams from Winona were scheduled to face the pins in the initial participation of the tourney.

The Winona teams rolling Sunday are: C. Heinz, First National Bank, Peerless Tire Chains and the Hurry Backs.

All teams entered from the up-river city are established teams of merit in the Winona leagues and are expected to hang up good scores Sunday morning.

No league games are scheduled to be rolled at the Lotus alleys this week. Fraternal league games scheduled to be rolled Monday, January 9, will be rolled January 23. All other games scheduled for this week will be rolled the week following the tournament.

PUT OVER TREPTE HEARING

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Mrs. Elsie Trepte, charged with first degree murder for the death of her husband in their home Thursday afternoon was arraigned in district court Saturday and obtained a continuance until Jan. 20.

EMIL BILTGEN PAYS $200 FINE; LIQUOR SEIZED IN SALOON

Proprietor of Hub Bar Changes Plea Before County Judge Brindley on Saturday

Emil Biltgen, proprietor of the Hub saloon, paid a $200 fine and court costs, in County Judge Brindley's court Saturday morning, for having liquor in his possession in his saloon. The Hub saloon was visited by state prohibition agents several days ago. At the same time they went to the Bangor and Old Style Inn saloons confiscating a bottle of champagne in the Bangor and liquor at the Old Style Inn. Biltgen at first entered a plea of not guilty and furnished bail for a further hearing on January 11, when William Wojahn and Rudolph Harder will be given hearings. Saturday morning, however Biltgen changed his plea to guilty and paid a fine.

SEE WIND-UP OF DEBATE ON TREATY TODAY

(Continued from page one)

of the treaty as a betrayal of their sympathy and support. He declared acceptance of the treaty would be suicide for Ireland. Ireland, he continued, never has been and never could be beaten. If the treaty were adopted she could never again ask the world for support in the fight for freedom.

Boland was enthusiastically applauded when he took his seat.

Joseph McGrath of Dublin followed in support of the treaty. He said that when he went out in 1916 to fight for the republic he knew perfectly well that Ireland would never get a republic. Under the pending treaty, however, every iota of the dail's original democratic program could be carried out. He created a sensation by stating that when he and Boland went to Gairloch, Scotland, on their last trip as messengers in the negotiations with Premier Lloyd George, Boland told him he was going to America on behalf of De Valera to prepare the people of America to accept "something short of a republic."

Cannot Secure Republic

Replying to McGrath, De Valera said that because he wanted to be honest with the American people he had told Boland to let them know he could not secure the "isolated republic" which was Ireland's ideal but that his external association plan would give Ireland complete independence.

Harry Boland in his speech against the treaty, went into some detail with regard to the help America had given Ireland in her struggle. In going into this subject Boland remarked that Michael Collins, a few weeks ago, had made a statement about America which had placed him (Boland) in an embarrassing position.

Collins interrupted the speaker at this point to remark: "And which every true American appreciates."

Boland continued, that he had been sent to America to strengthen the hands of the Irish plenipotentiaries in London and to demonstrate to England that if the fight should be resumed, the Irish would be able to carry on.

Sought to Float Loan

He had gone to float a bond loan of the Irish republic but inasmuch as the negotiations were proceeding in London at the time the flotation, he said, had been confined to two localities, the district of Columbia and the state of Illinois.

Michael Collins, declared Boland, had every reason to know that five thousand men were ready to come to fight in Ireland but could not come as a foreign legion because of American law. Nevertheless some had come a De Valera came, and many had fought.

Boland added that he was bound to state that the bulk of American people favored the treaty and that so did the American press like the Irish press but the people who had subscribed money looked on it as a betrayal.

Was this treaty a final settlement Boland asked.

"It is not," replied Collins in a low voice.

"In that case," said Boland, "world opinion would be against the Irish if they took the treaty with a mental reservation and then broke it."

Joseph McGrath, supporting the treaty, argued, that Eamonn De Valera's document, even if it were accepted by the British, would not end the matter or help the republican program.

De Valera in Prtest

Mr. De Valera rose and protested against McGrath's reference to a document which its author had been prevented from explaining. It was at this point that McGrath made his revelation as to Boland's mission to America. He was a courier to Lloyd George together with Boland when Lloyd George was in Scotland, he recalled and on that occasion Boland had said to him: "I am going back to America on the president's instructions to do an awful thing—to prepare the people of America for something less than a republic."

Rising at this, De Valera said that in the interest of the nation he could not let that pass. The only chance he saw, except by force of arms of getting a republic was the plan of external association, he explained, which he had pointed out definitely was less than an isolated republic.

"I have not the face of brass that some others have," continued Mr. De Valera, "and I was honest with the American people. I the isolated republic would have be changed into some sort of association, though I knew it might not agreeable to the greater part of the Irish people but I wanted something consistent with the position we occupied and knew some of the American people would not be willing to see Ireland associated with Great Britain in any way."

HAWAIIAN M. HEAD

HONOLULU.—By Associated Press.—Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaole, delegate to congress from territory of Hawaii and member of the royal family under the Hawaiian monarchy, died Saturday morning.

WANT ADS

Classified WANT AD. RATES

Under any classification 1½ cents per word for each insertion. No single insertion for less than twenty-five cents.

A MONTHLY RATE of $1.50 per line per month is made on standing ads. Nothing less than three lines accepted under this rate.

All orders to discontinue advertisements must be made in writing or by personal call at the office. The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for telephone cancellations.

The Tribune and Leader-Press will not be responsible for more than the first incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the Sunday Tribune and Leader-Press will be accepted for classification up to 8 o'clock Saturday night.

WANTED—MALE HELP

Boys, 12 years or over, for carrier routes. Apply The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press office.

AUTO MECHANICS earn big money. Have you natural mechanical ability? Do you like to use tools? Develop this natural ability and make yourself a success. Write for free book. Tells the story completely. Milwaukee Motor School, Dept. LT, 251-7 Downer Ave., Milwaukee. 12 14 1 12

THE ALLAN Manufacturing Company of St. Paul seeks a distributor for La Crosse territory for their products. Goods repeat. Must be a live wire and responsible. Can make big money. See Mr. G. H. Allworth, Hotel Linker. 1 7 8

EXPERIENCED road grader salesman or reliable firm wishing to job old line in surrounding territory. Must travel townships, counties and be well known. The C. D. Edwards Mfg. Co. Factory—Albert Lea, Minn. 1 7 9

YOUNG MEN, over 17, desiring government positions, $150 monthly, write for free list positions now open. R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner), 623 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 1 7 10

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Two trained young salesladies for a house to house canvass. Experience preferred but not necessary. Call 8 to 10 a. m. or 4 to 5 p. m. Rivoli Electric Shop, 121 North Fourth street. 1 6 7

EARN $25 weekly spare time, writing for newspapers, magazines. Experience unnecessary. Details free. Press Syndicate, 650 Times Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. 1 7 Sat 1 28

WANTED
AN EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER

to fill a permanent position in our office. Apply Star Knitting Co., 212 State.

EXPERIENCED cook wanted. Woman preferred. Inquire Viroqua Restaurant, 201 Pearl. 1 5 7

TWO GIRLS—Hotel Foley. 501 Mill. 1 4 10

Help Wanted—Male and Female

STEADY POSITION

For man or woman to sell our Remedies, Extracts, Toilet and Pure Food Products in your city. New department just opened by old established manufacturers. No experience necessary. We supply all capital. Write today.

THE LANGE CO.
Box 99, DePere, Wis.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN WANTED to represent firm selling mechanical, electrical and auto supplies. Clean, money-making business proposition. Give references, experience first letter. Box 14, Edgerton, Wisconsin. 1 5 8

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—45 acres of land near brick yard, Mormon Coulee. 25 acres tillable, 20 wood land. Address C. M., care Tribune. 1 6 Fri Sat Sun 1 15

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Arcola heating plant in fine shape. One rolltop desk and chair. Two glass showcases and a safe. Call 2241-M. Evenings. 1 4 10

FOR SALE—Shotgun, bath tub, writing desk, center table, incubator, indoor brooder, reed baby buggy. H. A. Fisher, 957 Jackson. 1 7 9

FOR SALE—Salesmen's samples, suitcases, traveling bags and gladstones. Attractive values. Jefferson Hotel. 1 5 11

AM COMPELLED to sell my $150 furs for $50. Only worn six times. Phone 1655-Black. 319 No. 16th. 1 7 8

FOR SALE—Bed complete, 9x12 rug, 3-piece living room set. Call 1864-Black. 1509 Avon. 1 7 10

FOR FRANKLIN county's best 6x3 or lump call Tenneson Fuel Co. Phone 319. 11 24 tf

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE—105 North Third street. Will sell or rent. Like new. 12 10 1 9

FOR SALE—Delivery sleigh, wagon and harness. Bargain. Doerre Hdw. 1 7 9

RUMMAGE SALE—Men and women's clothing Jan. 9 and 10. 491 No. 3rd. 1 7 8

MEDIUM sized coal stove for sale. Cheap. Inquire Harry Newburg. 1 7 9

FOR POCAHANTAS lump or egg call Tenneson Fuel Co. Phone 319. 11 24 tf

MAN'S COONSKIN coat for sale. Very good condition. 430 Pearl St. 1 4 7

FOR SALE—Full bred sow, $15. Call 231 So. 8th or 1231 Ferry. 1 7 9

FOR SALE—Perfection oil heater. Cheap. 919 S. 6th. 1 7 9

FOR SALE—Dry cord wood. Phone 2564-M. 12 29 1mo

FOR SALE—Set of orchestra bells. Call 1404-M. 1 6 8

AUTO ROBE FOR SALE—305 So. 5th. 1 5 7

COLLECTIONS.

CLAIMS COLLECTED on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 314 Newburg Bldg. 9 8 tf

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT FREIGHT RATES on household goods. North, South East and West. For particulars write Boyd Transfer & Storage Company, Minneapolis. 11 8 tf

WANT TO RENT

WANTED—Light housekeeping apartment with private family. Best references. 941-M. 1 6 7

SEWING MACHINES

SHUTTLES and repairs for all makes of machines on hand. Repairing done promptly. H. Kathary, 1002 So. 4th St. 2273-M. 12 27 3mo

SITUATION WANTED—MALE

WORK AFTER school and Saturdays by high school boy. Phone 2651-M. 1 6 8

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bunch keys between Majestic Bldg. and Newburg Bldg. Return to Peter Newburg Clothing Co. Reward. 1 7 9

LOST—Gray female angora cat. Mrs. E. Fritz, 421 So. 7th. Phone 1550-M. 1 5 7

LOST—Brown and white angora cat. Reward. 2329-R. 1 7 9

LOST—Wrist watch Friday afternoon. 1918-A. Reward. 1 7 9

LOST—Black silk neck scarf. 204 Pearl. Reward. 1 7 9

FOR RENT—ROOMS

TWO MODERN furnished light housekeeping rooms, steam heated, corner Charles and St. Andrews. 1 7 9

LIGHT housekeeping rooms for rent on ground floor with private entrance. 302 No. 7th. 1 6 7

TWO PARTLY modern furnished light housekeeping rooms with heat. Phone 2252-R. 1 7 9

FOR RENT—Modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. 624 So. 4th St. 1 7 9

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FOR RENT—4 rooms with light and gas. Call 522 Main. 1 4 7

FOUR-ROOM modern flat. Sleeping porch. 515 So. 16th. 1 6 8

THREE modern furnished housekeeping rooms. 748-A. 1 6 8

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 721 Caledonia. 1 6 9

LARGE furnished room. 1005 Cameron Ave. 1272-A. 1 7 9

FURNISHED city heated room. 329 Jay. 1 2 8

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 105 So. 6th. 1 6 8

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 504-M. 1 7 13

MODERN furnished room. 155 So. 9th. 1 5 7

For Rent—Houses and Flats

20-ROOM furnished rooming house, 2 flats. Must buy furniture and take long lease. 116 North Third. 12 27 1 27

FOR RENT—Furnished four-room lower flat. All modern or 8-room house all modern. 1912 Cameron. 1 7 13

FOR RENT—4 and 5-room new modern flats with built in features, North side. Call 5662-R. 12 31 1 7

FOR RENT—4-room upper flat. Modern except heat. Call downstairs. 319 Caledonia. 1 7 9

THREE nice furnished housekeeping rooms. No children. 205 So. 7th. 1 7 8

NINE-ROOM house, modern except heat. Inquire 115 So. 3rd. 1 6 8

ALL MODERN house for rent. Inquire 624 So. 9th. 1 5 7

FIVE-ROOM flat for rent. 815 Rose. 1 6 8

For Rent—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Store with flat above. City heat at 213 So. 5th. Inquire W. J. Smale. Phone 392. 1 7 9

FOR RENT—Garage near 10th and Cameron. Inquire Peter Newburg Clo. Co. 1 7 9

GARAGE FOR RENT—216 West Ave. North. 1 5 8

AUTOMOBILES

AUTO RADIATORS—Frozen or leaky. Why not have them repaired the right way? Rebuilt—recored. All work guaranteed. Badger Auto Radiator Works. 118 Pearl. Phone 283. 12 14 2 13

RADIATORS—All makes repaired, recored, rebuilt the right way. Repairing done while you wait. Work guaranteed. La Crosse Auto Radiator Service, 106 So. Second St. Phone 313. 3 6 tf

USED BUICKS. All models. Sold on a liberal guarantee with free trial. Money returned if not satisfied. Cash or terms. Fox Bros. Buick Co., 129 No. 3rd. 1 7 8

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During the month of January we are offering special discounts on all our used cars. Buy now and save money.

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MODEL 21 Buick 6 for sale at reasonable price. Owner leaving city. Must be sold at once. Call Radtke Taxi Service, 117 No. 3rd. 1 6 12

AUTO TOPS—Of dependable fabrics. Recovering and repairing. Skok Auto Top Shop, 108 Main. 1173-R. 12 23 1mo

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4-passenger, late type. Perfect condition. Will make an exceptionally attractive price on this car for immediate disposal and will give a written guarantee with same.

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FOR SALE—Late model Overland Four touring or roadster. A bargain. 127 No. 3rd St. Phone 425. 1 4 11

CHEVROLET touring car $150. Oakland sedan. Cheap. Other bargains. Nash Auto Co. 11 2 tf

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MISCELLANEOUS

PATENTS that protect obtained in all countries; 37 years' experience; unexcelled reputation; helping perfect and convert inventions into cash. Book free. Carlsen & Son, 206 Dispatch Bldg., St. Paul, Minn. 1 5 12

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Boyer-Furber Furniture Company. 1 4 12 tf

WANTED—A truck to haul block wood. Macadam road. Call 814 Rublee St. or phone 1850-C. 1 6 8

CHILDREN'S sewing, make over garments. Also embroidery. Mrs. F. Hart, 614 S. 4th. 1 6 8

CHIMNEYS and furnaces cleaned. Well experienced. Phone 1565-M. 1 3 9

RAG RUG and carpet weaving. La Crosse Hammock Works. Sat Sun Mon tf

WASHINGS done at home. 916 Tyler. 1 7 9

WANTED—Sewing. Phone 2544-R. 1 7 14

WOOD SAWING. Phone 2150-A. 1 6 13

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WANTED TO HEAR from owner having good land for sale. Send description and price. 500 Kasota Bldg., Minneapolis. 12 24 Sat 1 14

WANTED—Old-fashioned melodeon. Address 313, Tribune office. 12 28 1 10

POULTRY AND PETS

FEMALE canaries for sale. Phone 1056-A. 1 5 7

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO INVESTORS

Pursuant to a resolution of the County Board of Supervisors of the County of La Crosse, Wisconsin, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the county road and bridge fund in the sum of $100,000, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per centum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be dated April 1st, 1922, of the denomination of $1,000.00 each, and payable in numerical order in the sum of $20,000 on April 1st of each of the years 1923 to 1942, inclusive, with the interest payable on October 1st and April 1st in each year at the office of the County Treasurer at La Crosse, Wisconsin, the undersigned Chairman and Clerk will receive proposals for the purchase of said bonds at the office of the County Clerk at the Court House in La Crosse, Wisconsin, on Thursday, January 19th, 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The undersigned expressly reserve the right to reject any and all bids received and to sell the same in the open market.

Address all proposals to Hubert D. Staats, County Clerk, Court House, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

A certified check in the sum of one per cent of the amount of the bond issue must accompany all bids, and made payable to the County Treasurer of La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

Dated at La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 27th day of December, 1922.

R. W. DAVIS,
Chairman, County Board of Supervisors.
HUBERT D. STAATS, County Clerk.
La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Notice to Creditors of Phoebe Johnson and Sarah Johnson, Deceased

State of Wisconsin, In County Court—For La Crosse County.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of N. R. Johnson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that at the regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said County at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May, 1922, the following matters will be heard, considered, examined and adjusted in all claims against Sarah Johnson and Phoebe Johnson, both and each of them late of the City of La Crosse in said County, deceased, and that such claims will be heard in connection with the last will and testament of N. R. Johnson, deceased, which provided for and directed the payment of the debts of Sarah Johnson and Phoebe Johnson, deceased. All such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said Court at the Court House in the City of La Crosse in said County on or before the first day of May, 1922, or be barred.

Dated December 30, 1921.
By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.
WINTER, MORRIS, ESCH & HOLMES, Attorneys.

Notice of Application to County Court

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 3rd Tuesday, being the 17th day of January A. D., 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Will A. Powell, Executor of the last will and testament of George E. Powell, late of the City of La Crosse, in said county of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same and for determination and adjudication of the inheritance tax, if any, payable in said estate.

Dated December, 23, 1921.
By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
LEES & BUNGE,
Attorneys for Executor.

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The application of J. A. Towing, Administrator of the estate of Gunhild Kvain, late of the city of La Crosse in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such administrator and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.
WINTER, MORRIS, ESCH & HOLMES, Attorneys.

Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of George H. Warninger, late of the City of La Crosse in said County, deceased. Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Romeo L. Warninger and Elmer A. Warninger of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that four months after the 5th day of January, A. D. 1922, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1922.
By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.
LEES & BUNGE,
Attorneys for Administrators

HIS DIFFICULTY

"My cousin, Hank Buckley, paid $3 for a dog a couple of weeks ago," related Gap Johnson, of Rumpus Ridge, Ark., "and directly gave the dog and four bits to boot for a fiddle. Pretty soon he swapped the fiddle and six bits for a shotgun. He hadn't much more than got settled with the gun then he figgered he'd rather have the dog than shotgun, and swapped the gun for the vermint, and the feller made him give $1 to boot. After a spell he got to studying and decided that he wanted a fiddle worse than he did a dog. So he swapped with fiddle man and gave him $1 to boot. Well, he kept this up, sorter like the ragged rascal in the old Third Reader, revolved round and round the rugged rock, swapping fiddle or dog or gun, whichever it happened to be, for one of the other things, and giving $1 or such a matter, to boot every time, till he was out $15.25 and had the dog. When I seed him last he told me it was a dreadful thing not to be able to make up his mind and keep it made up."—Kansas City Star.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds closed:

3½s	95.96	Third 4¼s	97.84
First 4s	97.20	Fourth 4¼s	97.40
Second 4s	97.00	Victory 3¾s	100.00
First 4¼s	97.52	Victory 4¾s	100.08
Second 4¼s	97.10		

STOCK MARKET STIFFENS

Little Activity Shown in Short Week-end Session

NEW YORK—Prices were firm to strong for the most part during Saturday's brief stock market period. Dealings represented little more, however, than the customary week-end adjustment of speculative accounts. Oils led the rally at gains of one to three points. Tobaccos and miscellaneous issues including chain stores and merchandising stocks, also were higher. Utilities were featured by Montana Power which rose 3½ points. Rails showed moderate improvement, especially Lehigh Valley, New York, Chicago and St. Louis and Louisville and Nashville, but Chicago and Northwestern was heavy. Of the better known specialties Rubbers showed further depressions. The close was strong. Bonds, including Liberty issues, were dull, but mainly higher.

Special shares in which the short interest is believed to be active, were firm to strong at the opening of the stock market. Former favorites of the industrial division showed little change. Chandler Motor and Woolworth were prominent at gains of 1 to 2½ points and foreign and domestic oils strengthened in the absence of further pressure. Sumatra, Famous Players and International Paper gained large fractions. The one weak feature was Chicago and Northwestern which declined 1⅝ points.

Closing prices:

Allis-Chalmers	38¼
American Beet Sugar	34¼
American Can	33
American Car and Foundry	142¼
American Hide & Leather pfd, bid	58½
American International Corp.	39¼
American Locomotive	105
American Smelting and Refining	44
American Sugar	58⅞
American Sumatra Tobacco	35¼
American T. and T.	115½
American Woolen	79
Anaconda Copper	49
Atchison	92½
Atlantic Gulf and W. Idies	30⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	95
Baltimore and Ohio	34¾
Bethlehem Steel "B"	56
Canadian Pacific	119¾
Central Leather	30½
Chandler Motors	50
Chesapeake and Ohio	54
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	17⅞
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	31⅝
Chino Copper, bid	26¾
Colorado Fuel and Iron, bid	24
Corn Products	93⅛
Crucible Steel	64¾
Cuba Cane Sugar	8⅝
Erie	9⅝
General Electric	137⅛
General Motors	9
Goodrich Co., bid	35¾
Great Northern pfd	71⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs., bid	31¼
Illinois Central, bid	97½
Inspiration Copper	38⅝
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	65⅝
International Paper	50½
Kennecott Copper	26
Louisville and Nashville	109¼
Mexican Petroleum	110½
Miami Copper	26½
Middle States Oil	12¾
Midvale Steel	29¼
Missouri Pacific	16⅝
New York Central	72½
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	13½
Norfolk and Western	96½
Northern Pacific	75⅞
Oklahoma Prod. and Ref.	2½
Pan American Petroleum	51
Pennsylvania	33⅞
People's Gas	61¼
Pittsburgh and West Va.	24¼
Ray Consolidated Copper	14¼
Reading	72
Republic Iron and Steel	52⅝
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	50
Shell Trans. and Trad.	37⅞
Sinclair Con. Oil	19½
Southern Pacific	79
Southern Railway	18
Standard Oil of N. J. pfd	113½
Studebaker Corporation	81
Tennessee Copper	9⅞
Texas Company	43⅝
Texas and Pacific	25⅝
Tobacco Products	63⅝
Transcontinental Oil	10¼
Union Pacific	126¼
U. S. Food Products	9¼
U. S. Retail Stores	52½
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	37⅝
United States Rubber	52½
United States Steel	82⅝
Utah Copper	61½
Westinghouse Electric	49⅝
Willys Overland	5⅛
Pure Oil Co.	36
Invincible Oil	14½
General Asphalt	58

WHEAT TRADING LIGHT

Market Easily Influenced in Saturday Session; Corn in Good Demand

CHICAGO, Ill.—Trade was light and the wheat market was easily influenced in the early proceedings on the board of trade Saturday. First prices were unchanged to ⅛c lower with May $1.10⅞ to $1.11⅛ and July $1.00½ to ⅝.

The pit traders were inclined to be bearish but support developed for May at $1.11 and under. One local authority said that the expected short harvest for 1922 in this country should be the determining factor in the market but another pointed out that the efforts to rehabilitate German and Russian purchasing power was likely to have considerable effect on this country.

Reported failure of an eastern export house had some effect later but toward the closed increased milling demand caused a rally and final prices were strong at about the high point of the day. May closed $1.12⅝ to ⅞ and July $1.01⅞ to $1.02.

Corn was in demand for the seaboard and with outside markets out-bidding Chicago and country offering local handlers raised their offers. The opening was practically unchanged with May 53⅝ to ¾c and July 54⅝c.

Coarse grains held a firm undertone throughout the session. Corn closed 53⅝ to ¾c for May and 55¼c for July.

Oats opened ¼ higher and shared in the strength of corn. May opened at ⅜ to ¼ to ⅜c and gained ⅝c before feeling any reaction.

Provisions reflected higher prices for live hogs.

POTATOES AND CABBAGE

MADISON, Wis.—United States Bureau of Markets—Potatoes—Waupaca and northern Wisconsin points: Car lots f. o. b., usual terms: demand moderate, movement draggy, market steady; round whites sacked, United States Grade No. 1, $1.75 to $1.85. Warehouse, cash to growers, demand moderate, movement slow, little hauling by growers. Bulk round whites United States Grade No. 1 at Waupaca, $1.25, at other Wisconsin points, $1.10 to $1.50. Milwaukee—Demand and movement moderate, market dull, jobbing shares United States Grade No. 1 round whites, $1.85.

Cabbage—Wisconsin shipping point information: Somers and Appleton districts, demand and movement fair, market fair, prices to growers f. o. b. Appleton and Somers. United States Grade No. 1 Danish type bulk per ton, $24 to $35, few at $40. Milwaukee, demand and movement moderate, market steady; jobbing sales—Holland type barrels, $3.50 to $3.75, mostly $3.75.

Onions—Milwaukee, demand and movement moderate, market steady; jobbing sales, red and yellow globes United States Grade No. 1, $1.75 to $5.00 per cwt.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Bureau of Markets—Cattle—Receipts 330; 50 to 75c higher; fat she stock, 25 to 50c higher; canners and cutters, 15 to 25c higher; bulls 50c higher; veal calves, 25c lower; desirable light weight stockers and feeders steady to strong, others weak.

Hogs—Receipts 5,000; active, 15 to 40c higher than Friday's average; light and light butchers up most; good clearance top, $8.75 for 130 to 180-pound hogs; bulk $7.60 to $8.50; pigs, 25 to 35c higher; up to $8.85.

Sheep—Receipts 3,500; all packers direct or on through billing east; compared with week ago fat lambs 25 to 50c higher; fat sheep and yearlings, 50 to 75c up; feeder lambs, 25c higher.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	110⅞	113	110⅝	112⅝
July	100½	102⅛	110¼	101⅞
CORN—				
May	53¾	53⅞	53½	53⅝
July	54⅝	55¼	54⅝	55¼
OATS—				
May	38¼	39¼	38¼	39
July	39	39⅞	39	39¾
PORK—				
Jan.				15.10
LARD—				
Jan.	8.85	8.85	8.82	8.82
May	9.22	9.22	9.17	9.17
RIBS—				
Jan.				7.87
May	8.00	8.02	8.00	8.00

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Cash wheat—No. 1 red, $1.15; No. 4 red, $1.12¾.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 48 to ½c; No. 2 white, 58c.
Oats—No. 2 white, 36½ to 37c.
Rye—Nominal.
Barley—53 to 57c.
Timothy seed—$5.00 to $6.25.
Clover seed—$12.50 to $18.50.
Lard—$8.82.
Ribs—$7.25 to $8.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill. — Butter — Higher; creamery extras, 35c; firsts, 30 to 34c; seconds, 27 to 29c; standards, 33½c.

Eggs—Lower; receipts 4,108 cases; firsts, 37 to ½c; ordinary firsts, 32 to 34c; miscellaneous, 35 to 36c; refrigerator firsts, 30 to 32c.

Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls, 17 to 28c; springs, 25c; turkeys, 35c; roosters, 17c.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Receipts 23 cars; market steady; Wisconsin sacked, $1.95 to $2.10; Minnesota, sacked and bulk, $1.80 to $2.05; Michigan, sacked, $1.95 to $2.05; Idaho Rurals, $2.10 to $2.20.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 42,356 barrels. Bran—$22.00.

MINNEAPOLIS FLAX

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flax—No. 1, $2.03¾ to $2.08¾.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed
(A. Grams & Sons)

"Wingold" Flour, 98-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	$8.85
"Wingold" Flour, 49-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	9.00
"Wingold" Flour, 24½-pound paper sacks, per barrel	8.95
"Wingold" Flour, 12⅛-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.05
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.65
Mill Feed	
"Bay State" Bran, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	24.00
"Bay State" Std. Midds. in 100-pound sacks, per ton	24.00
Diamond "C" Lowgrade, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	36.00
Prices net.	
Butter and Eggs	
(Quoted by Hawley Commission Co.)	
Fresh eggs	42c
Creamery butter	36-37c
Dairy	30c
Fruits	
Cider, clarified, half bbl.	6.75
Lemons, "Sunkist," box	6.50
Lemons, choice	6.00
Lemons, "Sunkist," box	6.00
Lemons, choice	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 126, box	6.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 150, box	6.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 176, box	6.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 200, box	6.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 250, box	5.50
Oranges, Sunkist, size 288, box	5.00
Oranges, Sunkist, size 325, box	4.50
Bananas, per lb.	5c
Celery, per dozen	60c
Peanuts, roasted, per lb.	10c
Potatoes, lb.	2½c
Oysters, per gallon	2.20
Apples, per barrel	8.00
Apples, per bushel	2.50
Apples, per box	1.75 to 3.50
Cabbage, per hd.	4.50
Onions	7.00
Bagas, per hd.	2.00
Schams Bros.	
Hogs	$5.00 to $6.25
Lambs	$5.00 to $6.00
Sheep	$3.00
Steers	$3.00 to $4.25
Cows	$2.00 to $3.00
CHEESE	
Full cream, brick cheese	20-22c
Full cream, American Twins	21-23c
Full cream, Block Swiss	28-30c
Full cream, Long Horn	22-24c
Full cream, Limburger	26-28c
Hand cheese, per box	$1.25

Seekers for Solitude

The prospectus of a hotel at Weissbach, Switzerland, announces that the house is a favorite place for those seeking solitude, who are constantly flocking there from the four corners of the globe.

EXPERTS STUDY "LADY RAFFLES" "CROOK TWIST"



MRS. ETTA HEIL

LOS ANGELES—"The strangest of kleptomania puzzles," is the characterization of psychiatrists and psychologists now studying the case of Mrs. Etta Heil, former wife of a millionaire Chicago banker, who is held here as a "woman Raffles."

Why does she turn burglar? She has an allowance of $300 a month from her husband's estate and was able to furnish a home in a fashionable section here. Yet, according to the charges, this woman who once had entree to exclusive Chicago society circles, took a position as housemaid in the home of a movie official in order to rob it. But six months ago her alleged thievery escapades in Chicago society homes created a furor.

She cannot explain her conduct. A mere question sends her into a swoon. She speaks of an invalid son whom "she cannot see want"; also of an automobile accident in which an injury to the head was received.

WARN AGAINST DELAY IN FILING OF REPORTS ON INJURED WORKERS

Three Separate Kinds of Reports Must be Made to Industrial Commission

MADISON, Wis.—The industrial commission in a letter to employers today advises them that prompt reports must be made on all accidents, or increased liability may result. Three distinct kinds of returns must be made, the letter points out depending on the nature of the injury.

One report which all employers must give to their insurance companies of all accidents is required to be made at once. Another report to the commission both by insured and uninsured employers must be made on the eighth day after the accident in all cases in which the disability exceeds seven days or in which compensation has been paid or is due for any other reason. This must be on special forms supplied by the commission and must be made directly by the employer.

A third report is a brief notice by telegram or by letter within 24 hours of a fatal accident telling of its occurrence.

In its letter the commission calls attention to the fact that the compensation act provides that when there are unreasonable delays in making payments of compensation, these delays shall be increased by 10 per cent and the commission shall determine whether the delay was due to the employer or to the insurance carrier and shall assess the increased compensation against the party at fault.

Where an employer fails to make a prompt report to his insurance company of an accident to one of his employes, any delays in making payments are charged up to him, and he may be held liable for a 15 per cent increase in compensation.

The commission states that "The great majority of the employers of Wisconsin are making reports promptly and finding it not at all difficult, because some one person in their organization has been made responsible." It urges all employers to make a similar arrangement in order that reports upon accidents will be furnished promptly both to the insurance carrier and to the commission.

CHILD IN CUSTODY OF STATE SUBJECT TO SCHOOL LAWS

Cannot Evade Part-time Education Law Even if Committed to Penal Institutions

MADISON, Wis.—Children in Wisconsin cannot escape school by confinement to a penal institution if 18 years or under, Attorney General Morgan held Saturday in advising M. J. Tappins, secretary of the state board of control, that part time compulsory education laws applied as well to girls confined in industrial schools as to those outside.

The board was told that the attorney general held the opinion that children who attempted to evade the part time education laws could be sentenced to industrial schools, as law breakers. Their work in the penal institutions, he said, would have to be broken into with at least eight hours of instruction each week, if between 16 and 18 years of age, and with half-time instruction if between 14 and 16.

"Children who are in the custody of the board of control by virtue of their commitment to the industrial school for girls," Mr. Morgan said, "manifestly need education at least as much as ordinary children, and sound public policy impels us to reject any interpretation of the statutes that would permit them to be deprived of the educational advantages which all other children are required as well as privileged to avail themselves.

"This department heretofore gave as its opinion that a child not in custody of the state in one of its institutions who refuses to go to school in compliance with the law may be adjudged delinquent and as such committed to an industrial school."

THE SECOND COLLECTION

A young woman reports that she was traveling on a train recently, when a girl, evidently on her first trip, entered and occupied the other half of her seat. The conductor came through calling for tickets and after some embarrassed fumbling the girl handed hers over.

A few minutes later a train boy came down the aisle behind her crying, "Chewing gum."

"Mercy!" said Miss Innocence to her seat companion, "do we have to give up our chewing gum, too?"—Boston Transcript.

28 POLITICAL PLUMS AT THE DISPOSAL OF BLAINE DURING 1922

Vacancies Occurring in Official Positions to be Filled by Appointment

MADISON, Wis. — Twenty-eight vacancies in official positions in the state will occur during this year that must be filled by appointment by Governor John J. Blaine. Practically none of these appointments, however, will have to be confirmed by the senate when it meets in 1923. The following vacancies will have to be filled:

Board of Regents, University—Two members to succeed Theodore M. Hammond, Wauwautosa, and Granville D. Jones, Wausau, whose terms expire in February.

State Fair Advisory Board—Four members to succeed B. F. Wilson, Wausau; L. I. Roe, Stanley; Robert McDowell, Oconto, and Frank Johnson of Darien, whose terms expire in February.

State Board of Accountancy—One member to succeed E. H. Elwall of Madison, whose term expires in June.

Board of Examiners for Architects—One member to succeed H. A. Foeller of Green Bay, whose term expires in July.

Athletic Commission—One member to succeed Dr. C. M. Morter of Milwaukee, whose term expires in August.

State Board of Bar Examiners—One member to succeed William M. Steele of Superior, whose term expires in August.

Board of Conciliation—One member to succeed H. M. Warner of Madison, whose term expires in February.

State Board of Dental Examiners—One member to succeed Dr. Frank C. Babcock of Kaukauna, whose term expires in May.

State Board of Education—Two members to succeed W. R. Graves of Prairie du Chien and Harley F. Nickerson of Milwaukee whose terms expire in August.

Grain and Warehouse Commission—A member to succeed Edward McKinnon of Superior, whose term expires in February.

State Board of Health—Two members to succeed Dr. Gustave Windesheim of Kenosha and Dr. Otto Fiedler of Sheboygan, whose terms expire in February.

Livestock Sanitary Board—A member to succeed George McKerrow of Pewaukee, whose term ends in July.

Board of Normal Regents—A member to succeed Robert Dugdale of Platteville, whose term expires in February.

Board of Examiners in Optometry—One member to succeed Charles D. Waugh, secretary, of Milwaukee, whose term expires in August.

State Board of Pharmacy—A member to succeed H. G. Ruenzel of Milwaukee, whose term expires in April.

Real Estate Brokers' Board—Two members to succeed Elmer Grimmer, Marinette, and C. L. Wildner, Superior.

Board of University Visitors—A member to succeed W. T. Titus, Fond du Lac, and two members board of trustees, Veterans' home at Waupaca, and a member of the veterinary examiners' board.

ELSE WHAT?

A colored man named Sam had worked for his boss about five years, and in that time he had just about run things. His good friend Ben said to him one day: "Now, Sam, you have worked up there and made your boss rich. You ought to ask for more money or else quit. You must go up there and tell him: 'Look here, boss, you pay me more or else'." Sam tried his friend's advice while sweeping the next morning. He began, "Say boss, you'll have to gib me mo' money fo' dis job." "Well, Sam, I'll see about it," replied the boss. "See about nothin', you pay mo' or else." "Pay more or else? Else what?" The boss' eyes flashed, and his tone was sharp. Sam's eyes blinked as he detected his boss' anger, and in a soft voice he replied, "Else I wuck fo' de same money."

Attention Stock Feeders
Fresh Buttermilk for sale.
2c per gallon.
MILLER-ROSE CO.

FOR RENT
After Feb. first, three-story building now occupied by Smalo's Dairy Store, 114 So. 4th St.
Inquire of ODIN J. OYEN, 507 Main St.

We Want Property to Sell

We are getting ready for the selling season of 1922 and if you want to sell your property during this period now is the time to list it. You are going to need the best selling service obtainable for it is going to take real salesmanship to sell your property and this service is what you will receive if your property is listed with us.

We are in a position to give those that have money to loan, first mortgages on local real estate, where you know that your money is safe and that you are helping to build up your home town. In the years that we have been in business in La Crosse we have made numerous loans and we point with pride to our record, having never had a foreclosure nor lost one cent of interest.

James F. Saltz & Son
REAL ESTATE—LOANS—INSURANCE.
Offices: 314 Linker Bldg.; 813 Caledonia St., La Crosse, Wisconsin.

BULL FIGHTS IN U. S. — NEW PICTURE OF WILSON — KAISER BETROTHED? — NEW AIR RECORD





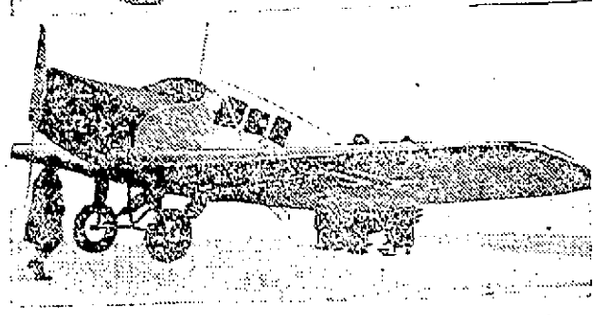
BETROTHED TO EX-KAISER?—Frau Von Rochow is reported betrothed to ex-Kaiser Wilhelm. She is now his guest at Doorn, Holland, according to German newspapers. She is the wealthy widow of a colonel in the Danzig Hussars and first met the kaiser during military maneuvers.



WOODROW WILSON AT 65.—This picture of Woodrow Wilson was taken upon the sixty-fifth anniversary of his birth, Dec. 28. He posed for this one in front of his home, 2340 S street, Washington. This is the first time he appeared for his photograph, unattended, since he left the White House. He appears in better health than at any time since his breakdown.



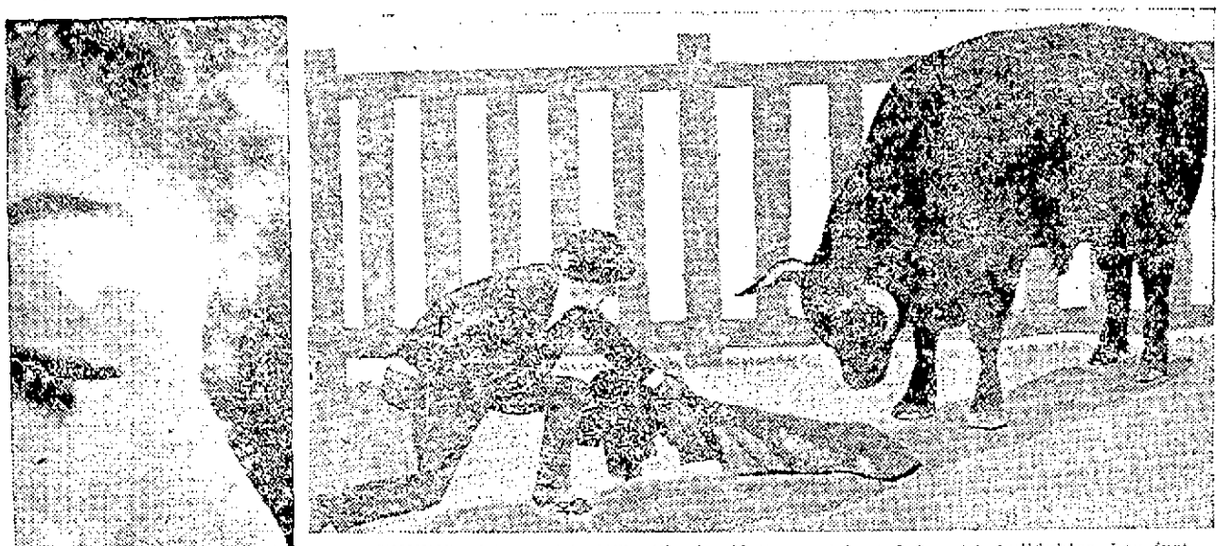
TRY THIS, GIRLS—Now is a good time to stand on your head—the snow will break the fall if you tumble. Miss Ida Schnall, champion all-around woman athlete of America, is shown playing at Brighton Beach, N. Y.



"NEVER AGAIN"—Anyone wishing to break the new airplane non-stop record just hung up by Eddie Stinson (right) and Lloyd Bertaud over Long Island, is welcome. These fliers say "Never again!" They stayed up in a snowstorm and gale, despite an oil pipe burst, for 26 hours, 19 minutes and 35 seconds. And almost froze. "We're happy," said Eddie, "but cured, on endurance tests." Below, the Larsen plane in which they turned the trick.



AFFECTIONATE BROTHERS—They are affectionate brothers—Eugene V. Debs and Theodore. And maybe you think they're not glad to be together at their home, in Terre Haute, Ind., since Gene's release from Atlanta federal prison.



THERE'S JUST ONE "IF"—Charlot Molina, celebrated Spanish bullfighter, has just arrived in New York City to fight a bull for the edification of the public, in Madison Square Garden. He says he will surely go through with it—IF he is not stopped by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He will use only a flaming red scarf, he says, thus making it an exhibition of nimbleness and skill. But if the bull is victor—well that's something else again. Here he is testing out the spirit of the American bull, at Jersey City stockyards.



SEEKS TITLE—Gertrude Artell, 20, of Philadelphia, is competing in the winter swimming events now on at Miami, Fla. She started to win national water championships in 1917 when she annexed the water pentathlon and 100-yard free style titles.



GOODBYE, LITTLE GIRL, GOODBYE—Detachments of the American Army of Occupation are leaving Coblenz with regularity now. And many of the doughboys are leaving their sweethearts, as you notice here.

PRETTIEST NOSE—This is the most beautiful nose in the world. So says Carlton Gardell, famed sculptor, who knows noses. Ditto, Paul Iribe, also celebrated as an artist and designer. It belongs to Betty Compson who tilts it captivatingly in the films.



FRANCE'S BIGGEST FAMILY GETS PRIZE—The French Academy is campaigning against the falling birth rate. The Amet family, twenty-four strong (shown here), living on a tiny farm in the village of Corniimont, in the Vosges, was awarded a prize of 25,000 francs by the academy.



CARP'S FOE — George Cook, Australian heavyweight champion, is training faithfully for his fight with Georges Carpentier in London a few weeks hence. European sport experts who have been watching Cook, say he will give Carpentier a hard fight.

BIKE MARVEL—Alfred Goullet, hero of the six-day race at Madison Square Garden. He won 13 of the last 18 sprints and with his partner, Maurice Brocco, won the six-day event.



BRITISH ATTACK HIS POLICY—This picture, just received from London, shows Premier Briand of France entering Lloyd George's residence in Downing street for the last fateful conference, which was followed by the French demand for a huge submarine fleet. Britain bitterly denounces the French submarine policy as a threat of war. On the right is M. Loucheur, French Minister for the Liberated Regions.



SNOW HIGHBALL—One of the first things Pussyfoot Johnson did when he returned to the United States from India was to partake of a highball—made entirely of snow. India, he predicts, will be dry in a few years.



DAD COACHES SEVEN HOCKEY SONS—The Schnarr Brothers hockey team of Kitchener, Ontario, is now meeting some of the fastest teams in the United States. The seven brothers, Wilfrod, Arthur, Gerald, Clarence, Robert, Maurice and Warner, are trained and coached by their father, J. H. Schnarr, right.

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Do It Now

Since the holidays quite a large number of our customers have placed their orders for spring delivery. Nearly everybody wants their Ford during April and May and those who wait until then before placing their orders are seldom able to get immediate delivery and are consequently disappointed.

The Ford factories at Detroit are still closed and every indication points to a greater shortage of Ford cars this Spring than ever before.

We urge those who are planning on buying Fords in the Spring to place their orders now for Spring delivery. This will insure delivery on the date you specify and will avoid future delay and disappointment. More than 1,000,000 Fords were delivered during 1921—less than 700,000 cars of all other makes combined were sold. This is a good indication of the growing popularity of the Ford car.

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CARL ZONTER

One of the prosperous farmers on St. Joseph Ridge drove home a Ford ton truck this week. At the rate farmers are buying trucks it will not be long before every farm of any size will have a Ford Ton Truck on it.

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Ford Cars Are Now at the Lowest Price in History

Chassis	$295.00
Rbt.	325.00
Touring	355.00
Coupe	595.00
Sedan	660.00
Ton Truck	445.00
Tractor	625.00

F. O. B. DETROIT

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HERE'S A REAL OPPORTUNITY

For the month of January we are holding a Clearance sale of all our used cars.

That we are offering real bargains and that our sale is a success is shown by the fact, that so far this month we have sold more cars than we did, during the whole month of January last year.

Considering the price at which we are offering these cars it is no wonder that they sell readily.

If you are in the market for a used car, we assure you that it will be to your advantage to come in and look over our cars and get our prices.

Many think that our used car stock consists only of Fords. We also have a large stock of other makes of used cars on hand. Our present stock includes such makes as Cadillacs, Studebakers, Dodges, Dorts, etc. At no time since we have been in business have we seen good used cars sell at as low prices as they are selling at today.

The fact that we sold more than 260 used cars last year, direct to owners, proves more conclusively than any statement we might make, that our used car prices are absolutely right.

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